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REVIEW OF TRADE.

Dun & Company Sizes Up the Business Situation.

ALL REPORTS NOT BRIGHT ONES.

This Is But Natural on Account of the Midsummer Dullness—One and Activity In the Iron Industry—More Furnaces to Be In Operation Soon—No Indications to Cause Uneasiness.

NEW YORK, July 20.—R. G. Dun & Company's weekly review of trade says: The week's news is not entirely encouraging, but is all the more natural because there are signs of midsummer dullness. Wheat prospects are not quite so good as last week, but still there are lower prices, as corn and cotton have been lowered. The exports of gold and the less favorable treasury returns for July are not unexpected, and mean nothing as to coming business.

There is a perceptible decrease in the demand for most manufactured products, and the actual distribution to consumers naturally lessens in midsummer. Much of the recent buying was to anticipate a rise in prices, and such purchases fall off when prices have risen. There are still numerous advances in wages, but strikes grow more numerous and important. In part because business was unusually large in the first half of July, a quiet tone meets reasonable expectation.

The heavy bank failure at Montreal does not affect finances here and is passing there with less disturbance than was feared. Gold exports for the middle of July, when crops are beginning to move, if not meant to affect stocks, can at all events have only speculative significance.

Wheat has declined 2c for September, corn $1\frac{1}{2}$c and cotton $\frac{1}{8}$c for spot. Western receipts of wheat, not half of last years, express disappointment at prices and show that foreign dealers are not regarding the situation with anxiety. Nor do British accounts indicate any anxiety about cotton, while efforts are reported by some of the American mills to sell part of the stock taken some months ago, which apparently exceed their needs for the year. If unfavorable to some speculators there are cheering indications, for it is better to have crops than to get high prices for what remains.

Orders have so accumulated in iron products that some works forego the usual summer rest and eastern furnaces are soon to begin blast, which will add about 5,000 tons weekly to the production. A few quotations have advanced.

The strike of several thousand miners in the Marquette region may have important consequences. Producers of non-bessemer ore have sold largely for the future at prices so low that they can not add to cost of production and other mines in the northwest may be effected.

Wool advanced in the first half of July an average of 1c for 104 quotations of domestic by Coates Bros. of Philadelphia, and is now 7 per cent higher than a year ago. Sales naturally lessen, but prices are sustained by German and French buying in the London market. Manufacturers do not support the advance and are buying only for immediate needs, but holders who have taken for weeks past several times the quantity consumed are stiff.

Cotton mills continue to enjoy a large business, and several have advanced wages this week, but some strikes of considerable importance are threatened or in progress. The weaker tone for the material does not as yet affect the prices of goods.

Failures for the past week have been 256 in the United States against 236 last year, and 29 in Canada against 44 last year.

FREE ACCOMMODATIONS

Will Be Furnished to Thousands of Veterans at Louisville.

LOUISVILLE, July 20.—It is now calculated that between the tents in Cherokee and its two sister parks and the schoolhouses and other public buildings that will be turned into dormitories, free sleeping accommodations can be furnished to between 20,000 and 25,000 Grand Army veterans at the coming encampment. These accommodations are solely intended for visitors of extremely limited means, or such as can not afford to pay as low as $1 nightly for more elaborate accommodations, and every veteran expecting to avail himself of the free accommodations will be expected to come supplied with a pillow and the necessary blankets for floor and body covering.

Too Long.

Complaints are beginning to be heard that the line of march as laid out by the committee having that matter in hand is much longer than had been agreed upon when Commander-in-Chief Lawler visited the city some months ago, and unless there is a revision and curtailment of the present plans it is feared that, as was the case in Pittsburg last year, many of the old and feeble veterans will be compelled to drop out before the entire route has been traversed, and thus in a measure demoralize the parade before it reaches the reviewing stand.

MEAT WAR AT WHEELING

Between Local Butchers and the Provision Dealers.

WHEELING, July 20.—A merry triangular war is on in this city, resulting from the adoption by the retail butchers of a resolution boycotting the wholesale provision dealers because of their refusal to discontinue the sale of fresh meats to retail grocers. The local concerns and representatives of the western pork packing establishments have combined upon retaliatory measures. They will open retail stores in every ward in the city, and have already cut prices 40 per cent. Their stalls in the markets are monopolizing the business, and many persons are coming from Bellaire and Bridgeport to reap the benefit of the competition. The retail butchers announce that they will meet the wholesalers' prices, in which event there will be another cut.

Bank Clerks Indicted.

ERIE, Pa., July 20.—H. L. Claybaugh, Harry Ardler and Mayberry Miller, three clerks from the National bank of Altoona, have been indicted in the United States court for making false entries amounting to between $20,000 and $2[illegible],000.

ORIOLES AGAIN LEADING.

Cleveland Second—Pittsburg Loses Two Games—The Standing.

CLUB.	W.	L.	P.C.	CLUB.	W.	L.	P.C.
Baltim'r	39	26	600	Phila	37	31	544
Clevela'd	45	31	592	Brookl'n	37	32	536
Pittsburg	41	30	577	New Y'k	36	32	529
Cincin'ti	40	31	563	Wash	24	37	393
Boston	37	29	560	St. Louis	25	48	312
Chicago	43	34	558	Louisv'e	12	55	179

Pittsburg, 2-5; Philadelphia, 7-9.

AT PITTSBURG—		R.	H.	E.
Pittsburg	0 2 1 0 0 0 0 0 0	3	7	5
Philadelphia	3 0 0 0 3 0 0 1 0	7	13	2

Batteries—Gardner and Merritt; Taylor and Clements. Umpire—McDonald.

SECOND GAME.

		R.	H.	E.
Pittsburg	0 1 0 0 0 3 1 0 1	5	11	3
Philadelphia	1 2 0 0 5 0 0 1 0	9	16	2

Batteries—Foreman, Hart and Sugden; Carsey and Clements. Umpire—McDonald.

Cleveland, 6; Brooklyn, 4.

AT CLEVELAND—		R.	H.	E.
Cleveland	2 1 0 3 0 0 0 0 *	6	11	1
Brooklyn	3 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 1	4	13	3

Batteries—Wilson and Zimmer; Daub and Grim. Umpire—Keefe.

St. Louis, 13; Washington, 4.

AT ST. LOUIS—		R.	H.	E.
St. Louis	0 0 0 0 5 0 0 0 3	13	18	1
Washington	0 0 0 2 0 2 0 0 0	4	13	6

Batteries—Staley and Miller, Stockdale and McGuire. Umpire—Murray.

Cincinnati, 1; Baltimore, 2.

AT CINCINNATI—		R.	H.	E.
Cincinnati	0 0 0 0 1 0 0 0 0	1	7	3
Baltimore	0 0 0 0 1 1 0 0 *	2	7	0

Batteries—Foreman and Vaughn; Hemming and Robinson. Umpire—Emslie.

Louisville, 8; New York, 10.

AT LOUISVILLE—		R.	H.	E.
Louisville	1 0 1 0 0 0 6 0 0	8	11	5
New York	2 0 3 0 1 0 1 0 3	10	14	2

Batteries—McDermott and Warner; Clarke and Farrell. Umpire—O'Day.

Chicago, 3; Boston, 5.

AT CHICAGO—		R.	H.	E.
Chicago	1 0 0 0 1 0 0 1 0	3	10	3
Boston	0 0 0 1 2 2 0 0 *	5	8	3

Batteries—Hutchinson and Kittredge; Sullivan and Ryan. Umpires—Galvin and Ryan.

Western League.

At St. Paul—St. Paul, 6; Indianapolis, 4.

At Minneapolis—Minneapolis, 20; Detroit, 5.

At Kansas City—Kansas City, 9; Terre Haute, 3.

Turf Winners.

At Aqueduct—Lady Richmond, Tomaska, Cherrystone, Warlike, Harry Alonzo, Oslr Joe.

At St. Louis—Charlie McDonald, Senciene, Flora Thornton, Revenue, Sallie Woodford.

At Oakley—Petrarch, Susie B, Captive, Lehman, My Luck, Olive.

At Kansas City—Serf, Bridget, Ben Wilson, Catlin, Momus.

At Milwaukee—My Hebe, Miss Kitty, Dave Pulsifer, King Bors, Bird Catcher.

Weather Indications.

For West Virginia—Showers in northern, fair in southern portion; cool northerly winds.

For Ohio—Showers and cooler in southeast portion; variable winds.

For Indiana—Showers and variable winds.

TO TEST SOME OLD LAWS

Which Has Held Sway on Seas For Undisputed Generations.

SAN FRANCISCO, July 20.—A suit has been begun in the United States circuit court to test the federal shipping laws which make it a crime for sailors to refuse to work when on the high seas. The suit is brought in behalf of four alleged mutineers of the bark Arago, who are now in the Alameda jail. It is said to be the first time in American history that a court has been called upon to overthrow the admiralty and shipping laws that copy from ancient English times which have held undisputed sway over the men who follow the sea for unbroken generations.

Civil War Probable.

GUAYAQUIL, Ecuador, July 20.—The first and second divisions of the patriots' army have left for Quito. General Alfaro, with his staff, will leave Monday prepared to meet all emergencies. A general civil war is probable.

MARKET REPORTS.

Grain and Stock Quotations For July 19.

New York.

Beef—Family, $12 00@13 50; extra mess, $8 00@8 50; beef hams, $18 50@19 00; packed, $9 50@11 00. Cut meats—Pickled bellies, $7 00@7 75; pickled hams, $9 50. Lard—City at $6 25. Pork—New mess, $12 25@13 00; family, $12 50@12 75; short clear, $12 50@14 50.

Butter—Western dairy, 9¼@13c; do creamery, 12@17c; do factory, 8¼@12¼c; Elgins, 17c; imitation creamery, 2@14c; state dairy, 11@16½c; do creamery, 17c. Cheese—State large, 6@7¾c; small, 6¼@8¼c; part skims, 2¼@3c; full skims, 1½@2c. Eggs—State and Pennsylvania, 14¾@14½c, western fresh, 12¾@13¼c.

Chicago.

Cattle—Fair to good beeves, $3 50@5 90; stockers and feeders, $2 25@4 00; mixed cows and bulls, $1 75@4 00; Texans, $2 75@4 10.

Hogs—Light, $5 10@5 55; rough packing, $4 75@5 00; mixed and butchers', $4 90@5 45; heavy packing and shipping, $5 10@5 35; pigs, $3 70@5 10.

Sheep—Native, $2 00@4 50; western, $2 40@4 10; lambs, $3 00@5 35.

Wheat—September opened at 66¼c, dropped to 65½c and then rose to 66⅝c, where it closed.

Corn—September opened at 43¼c, declined to 43⅛c, and closed at opening price.

Oats—September started at 22¼c, sold up to 22⅜c, declined to 22¼c, and closed at 22⅛c.

Pittsburg.

Cattle—Prime, $5 30@5 50; fair to good butchers', $4 10@4 30; bulls, cows and stags, $1 75@3 25.

Hogs—Medium Philadelphias, $5 50@5 65; common to good Yorkers, $5 20@5 50, roughs, $4 00@5 00.

Sheep and Lambs—Extra, $4 10@4 35; fair to good, $1 25; common, 50c@$1; best lambs, $3 80@3 85; spring lambs, $2 00@5 00. Veal calves, $6 25.

Cleveland.

Hogs—Mediums, 5 35@5 40; light and Yorkers, $5 00; pigs, $5 40@5 55; stags and roughs, $5 20@5 40.

Cattle—Good steers, 1,100 to 1,200 pounds, $4 25@4 65; light to fair mixed, $3 25@4 00.

Sheep—Best lambs, $2 75@3 25; good, $2 25@2 75; best lambs, $4 00@4 50; good, $3 50@4 25.

Cincinnati.

Wheat—No. 2 red, 67½c. Corn—No. 2 mixed, 44c. Oats—No. 2 mixed, 27c. Rye—No. 2, 45c.

Pork—$11 75. Lard—$6 20. Bulk meats—$6 25. Bacon, $7 25.

Hogs—$4 50@5 35. Cattle—$2 25@5 00. Sheep—$1 50@3 85. Lambs—$2 50@5 40.

MR. THOMAS' IDEA.

He Has a Solution For the Puzzling Money Problem.

THIS IS THE ONLY CORRECT ONE

He Says, and He Will Endeavor to Have It Incorporated Into the Platform to Be Adopted by the Ohio Democratic State Convention Which Will Meet In Springfield Next Month.

SPRINGFIELD, O., July 20.—Hon. John H. Thomas, the millionaire manufacturer, and possible candidate for the Democratic gubernatorial position, has completed a plank which he will present to the state convention here next month, claiming that it is a solution of the money problem. It favors the free coinage of silver 16 to 1 of all silver bullion mined in the United States, the government to have the seigniorage, if any, to continue until such time as by international monetary conference a general coinage of silver be adopted, and until then it favors a law requiring all custom due to be paid in gold on all goods imported from other countries that will not receive American coined silver at par in payment therefor, leaving such dues to be paid on imported goods from other countries in gold, silver or United States notes, and it further favors a duty on all imported silver, other than United States silver coin, at such rate as will prevent its introduction and use in competition with silver mined in the United States for any balances against us.

Mr. Thomas thinks the plank will meet with favor at the convention. He speaks of it with pride and says it is the only correct solution of the "money problem."

FREE SILVER DEMOCRATS.

Those of Ohio Have a Secret Meeting in Columbus.

COLUMBUS, O., July 20.—There was a secret conference of the leading advocates of free silver in the Democratic party of Ohio here last night. It was held in the law office of Allen W. Thurman, out of the ordinary course of newspaper men, and so the conference was over and most of those who attended gone from the city before it became known that such a meeting was being held.

Mr. Thurman said when asked about it: "Yes, it was a meeting of Democrats of the state who are in favor of the free coinage of silver. As it is generally known we have been at work perfecting our organization in all the congressional districts for three months. At the meeting every district was represented. No, I will not give the names of those present. You can understand why. They are our committeemen and we do not care to have it known now who they are. It would give our enemies an unfair advantage. There were about 30 persons in the meeting, and they are all Democrats of standing.

"We propose to carry on the flight inside of the Democratic party for free silver. We will take the fight to Springfield and we believe we have a good chance to win there. Reports of the growth of the free silver sentiment were received from every district and it was resolved to spare no effort to elect delegates to the state convention who are in favor of silver.

"The conference adopted unanimously a resolution to oppose the return of Calvin S. Brice to the United States senate. This we will do, no matter what the result of our fight for free silver may be. We are resolved that he shall not go back to the senate. We do not say that we will send a man to the senate who is in favor of free silver. We may have to take a "gold bug" to do it. But we are going to beat Mr. Brice."

A LABOR COMBINATION

Has Apparently Been Perfected in the Lone Star State.

DALLAS, July 20.—The state Federation of Labor, the Federated Trades of Texas and the state Farmers' Alliance have amalgamated, to all intents and purposes, and a joint call has been issued for a meeting of the three organizations at Lampasas Springs, Tex., Tuesday, Aug. 20. The call closes as follows:

"Recent decisions of the courts and recent action by the authorities have put the very existence of labor organizations in great jeopardy, and if these decisions and actions are allowed to pass unchallenged the right to organize is logically denied. It is no exaggeration to say that never in the history of this nation have so many and so grave issues confronted organized labor as now, and never was united intelligent action so imperative."

All labor and farm organizations are urged to send delegates. It is believed that separate political action will be one of the results.

DOESN'T BELIEVE IT.

No Necessity for the United States to Send Spies Into Canada.

MONTREAL, July 20.—The minister of militia, when shown a dispatch from Washington saying that the United States government had secretly sent spies into Canada to study the topographical situation and means of defense in the event of invasion, said: "I do not believe a word of it. There is no necessity for sending spies over here where everyone is at liberty to come and make his own surveys."

This view hardly corresponds with that held by the late secretary, Sir John Thompson, who, anticipating such a movement on the part of the United States and the co-operation of Canadian government officials with those of the United States to secure this information, had special legislation passed in parliament in 1894 to meet such a contingency.

CAPTURED AT LAST.

The Man Who Has Been Smashing Windows For a Year In Chicago.

CHICAGO, July 20.—John B. Leconi, alias "John, the Window Smasher," has been captured by the police, and a mystery of a year was solved. Leconi has broken over 100 plate glass windows in the business portion of the city within a space of 12 months. He has caused a loss to merchants and insurance concerns amounting to almost $15,000. The man is insane.

HAVE OIL ON THE BRAIN.

Development at Woodsfield, O., Has Reached the Fever Heat.

ZANESVILLE, July 20.—Woodsfield, almost directly north of the Sisterville field, has gone crazy on the subject of oil and gas, and the residents in that vicinity will talk nothing else. Two wells flowing 200 barrels per day have been struck 10 miles south of that place, and drillers who have been at work north of that place have quietly quit work and have begun to secure options on adjoining land. Prices rose at once, and now range from $10 to $100 per acre, according to location. A north and south line strikes these fields and runs to the Sisterville territory.

Big Blow at Findlay, O.

FINDLAY, July 20.—For five minutes yesterday afternoon this city was swept by a terrific storm of rain, wind and hail. Hundreds of shade and fruit trees were blown down, blockading the streets in many places. The tower of the First Methodist church was blown down, as was the bell tower of the central fire station. Several barns were unroofed and shifted on their foundations, and a dozen buggies were blown over. Nearly every awning in town was blown away and a number of plate glass store fronts wrecked. The globe and chimney glass factory was also unroofed.

Another Ship Canal Survey.

CINCINNATI, July 20.—A citizen's committee appointed by the mayor of Toledo was here yesterday arranging for a survey of the valley of Mill creek near the Ohio river, with a view to ascertaining its suitabily for an harbor at the Ohio river terminus of the proposed ship canal from Toledo to Cincinnati. The commercial bodies of the cities interested will defray the expenses.

Mine Accidents.

SHAWNEE, O., July 20.—Upson's coal mine furnished two more sad accidents here in as many days. Will McEachem, 15, was run over by a car of coal. He was taken to St. Francis hospital at Columbus for treatment. He will lose one leg. David Davis, 14, while working in a mine at a standing shot, was caught by a fall of coal and received internal injuries that will likely prove fatal.

They're Cigarettes Just the Same.

PORTSMOUTH, O., July 20.—Cigarettes are being sold here with thin tobacco wrappers instead of paper wrappers, at regular cigarette rates and with the familiar cigarette stench when smoked. They are evidently intended to evade the Ohio cigarette law and are called cigars. The attention of Deputy Food Commissioner Hastings has been called to the matter.

Amateur Robber Dosed.

CHILLICOTHE, O., July 20.—Albert Hunter, a son of the proprietor of Hunter's string band, undertook a venture in highway robbery on a party by the name of Isaac Wittekind on Hickory street. Mayor Waddle gave him three months in the Cincinnati workhouse and $100 fine and costs. The sentence will amount to a year's servitude.

Baggagemaster Charged With Theft.

SPRINGFIELD, O., July 20.—D. A. Burnie, assistant baggagemaster of the Big Four, is under arrest for stealing a valuable cape from Miss Eichelbarger of Urbana. Detective Wilson says the fellow has been stealing things for several months, and has a house full of goods taken at various times.

Will Lose an Eye.

GALLIPOLIS, O., July 20.—While G. W. Brother, a prominent merchant, was putting up a wire fence, the end of a wire shipped from his fingers, striking his little son in the eye and destroying the sight. The child will recover.

Oil Well Rigs Blown Down.

FREMONT, O., July 20.—Yesterday afternoon struck the Kansas oil field several miles west of here. It swept a clean path 400 feet wide entirely through the field, tearing down many trees and levelling 30 oil well derricks.

Campaign Opening.

WASHINGTON C. H., O., July 20.—The Fayette county Republicans are anxious that the opening gun of the Ohio campaign should be fired at Washington C. H., and efforts are being made to accomplish this end.

WILL NOT UNITE.

Epworth Leaguers and Christian Endeavorers Can Not Do It.

BOSTON, July 20.—The Advertiser says it can be definitely and positively stated that the invitation of the United Society of Christian Endeavor to the Epworth league will not be accepted by the latter organization to the extent of making an unconditional surrender. Before any union can be affected, if a union is possible at all, concessions must be made on both sides. The Methodist denomination is thoroughly organized, believes in organization, discipline and church supervision. It is decidedly opposed to relinquishing or even diminishing the oversight of its young people by its constituted authorities, and this is what many representative Methodists claim would be the practical result of the suggested union with the Young People's Society of Christian Endeavor.

Stambuloff Assassins.

SOFIA, July 20.—Three of the associates of Major Panitza, who was executed for conspiracy at the order of Premier Stambuloff, were arrested yesterday, one as the assassin of M. Stambuloff and the other as the accomplices. The gendarmes have been dismissed from the force and will be tried for connection with the murder.

Threw His Wife Off a Train.

PITTSBURG, July 20.—While the Wall accommodation train was approaching East Liberty station on the Pennsylvania railway Mary Pruden was thrown from the train by her husband, Harry Pruden. The train was running very slowly and the woman escaped with slight injury. She came to the city on a street car.

Miners Strike.

ST. LOUIS, July 20.—Nearly 2,000 coal miners employed in the Crown and Lenz mines, on the lines of the Louisville, Nashville and St. Louis railway have struck.

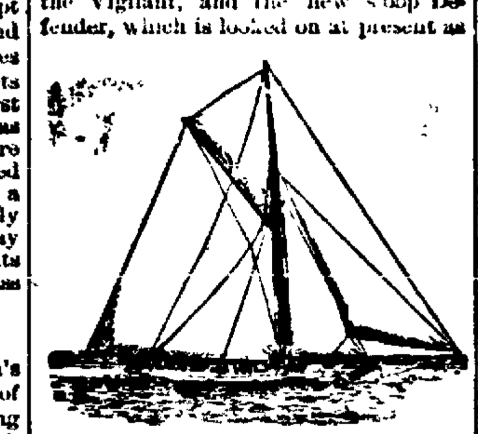
SLOOP DEFENDER.

First Real Trial Races Sailed Today and Monday.

A VERY COSTLY RACING CRAFT.

The Latest Creation of the Herreshoffs Which Is Expected to Show the Valkyrie III a Clean Pair of Heels When They Get Together In the Race For the America's Cup Some Time This Fall.

NEW YORK, July 20.—The races which will be sailed off the highlands today and Monday, it is agreed, will be the first real trial between the successful defender of America's cup in the '93 races, the Vigilant, and the new sloop Defender, which is looked on at present as



THE DEFENDER.

being in all probability the yacht which will uphold America's yachting honors in the races with Valkyrie III next fall.

The so-called races so far between the Colonia and Vigilant, with the latest Herreshoff creation, have been in no wise true tests. The Colonia is in far from racing form, her hull being very foul, while the Vigilant in the single run on last Sunday for a few moments was in equally bad condition.

The race today will therefore be the first opportunity as yet presented for getting a "line" on the real merits of the new boat. The two races to be sailed are to be held under the auspices of the New York Yacht club, and are to be over the course outside Sandy Hook. A cup valued at $200 is offered for the winner, with a $100 cup for the second boat if four boats or more shall start.

Description of the Defender.

The new boat, the Defender, without a doubt, is the most costly racing craft ever constructed. The crew that will sail the Defender are all Americans from Deer Island, Me., and have been proven to be a remarkably active and intelligent body of men, and they have been in active training under Captain Haff for several weeks. The Defender's top sides of aluminum combine the requisite strength with a lightness heretofore unthought of.

Up aloft of the blocks, always before this a source of great anxiety on account of their weight and their frequent breaking down, are marvels of strength and lightness. She will be steered with a wheel which is a novelty on a craft of this kind, inasmuch as it is a double one and, therefore, many think her builders expert her to be hard on her helm.

Below decks the Defender is a mere shell. A floor is laid down, two bulkheads are in place and a few staterooms fitted up. The crew live aboard the tender, Hattie Palmer.

The best possible dimensions of the new craft at present obtainable—for the owners and builders still refuse to make the actual ones public—are: Length over all, 126 feet 6 inches; beam, 23 feet; draft, 19 feet; lead water line, 90 feet; total sail area, about 13,000 square feet.

The amount of money that has been expended on the Vigilant for the trials is said to be $60,000. When it is recalled that $80,000 was the largest estimate of the expenditure by the Boston syndicate that ran the Puritan in 1885, it will be seen that yacht racing nowadays, at least the racing of yachts for the America's cup, costs a great deal more than it did a few years ago.

The Defender is owned by a syndicate composed of Messrs. Morgan, Iselin and Vanderbilt. It is said not one of them have a cent wagered on the result of the race with the Valkyrie III, but that they have gone into their pockets without a thought of recompense beyond the satisfaction they will feel as yachtsmen and Americans if the Defender succeeds in her mission.

It may be that the races of today and Monday between the Vigilant and Defender will do away with the necessity of formal trials later on.

MADE A RAID

And Whipped All the Fallen Women They Found.

PINEVILLE, Ky., July 20.—There was considerable excitement here yesterday morning over the action of a number of citizens of the town, who Thursday night formed a small vigilance committee and made a raid on the tough district of the town and whipped and ran off all the disreputable women they could find.

Several of the women had been confined in jail but were released by the court upon the promise that they would leave town. This they failed to do, and several of the citizens took the case in their own hands and raided the houses. A blacksnake whip was used on two of the women, who were whipped unmercifully.

HORSE MEAT PACKING HOUSE

Opens Up at Lynnton, Or.—Ten Animals Killed.

PORTLAND, Or., July 20.—The Western Packing company's horse meat packing establishment at Lynnton, the only of its kind in existence in this country, began operations yesterday. The plant is equipped with about $10,000 worth of machinery for slaughtering, packing and shipping meat. The first batch of horses were shipped here from Arlington a few days ago. Railroad companies have been asked to make rate on canned horse meat in carload lots to the east at $1 per hundred. Special rates have been quoted on live horses from Idaho and Arizona and Portland, and according to these prospects the market seems good.

The Agony Is Over.

BUZZARD'S BAY, Mass., July 20.—President Cleveland's third baby has been named Marion.

WHAT'S U[illegible]

Cabinet Meeting Without the President—Everybody Mum.

WASHINGTON, July 20.—For the first time in many years there was a midsummer cabinet meeting in Washington yesterday without the president.

Whatever was the subject or subjects considered can not be learned, and apparently it was resolved to keep the proceedings secret, for each of the persons present, as they emerged, declined courteously but positively to answer a single question touching their deliberations.

All that could be gathered was to the effect that nothing had happened at Gray Gables to give rise to apprehensions. Still there was an air of gravity in the demeanor of the cabinet officers as they emerged from the conference that would indicate that some weighty and important questions had been under discussion. What these may have been can only be surmised without any tangible evidence of probability.

One theory is that the Mora claim was before the cabinet in the shape of some proposition from the Spanish government for its settlement that perhaps involved the element of long time and consequently justified some hesitation before it could be disposed of.

An idea broached was that there was an ugly question as to the fulfillment of our neutrality obligations toward Spain that has caused the sudden assemblage of the cabinet officers. There are those who believe that it was this subject of neutrality which engaged the most serious attention of the cabinet officers.

It is known that they have been watching narrowly the proceeding of the Cuban sympathizers who have been operating in the United States, and it is believed that the open and questionable operations at the New York meeting lately, when a convention went through the forms of electing presidents for Cuba, has given rise to some doubt on the part of our government as to whether this was a proceeding that does not in itself constitute at least in spirit an infraction of that principle of the neutrality laws which forbid the use of the United States as base of operations against a nation with which the United States is on terms of peace.

If this view was taken of the matter by the cabinet meeting it is likely that it will be manifested through the issue of another presidential proclamation much more sweeping in its terms than that already put forth, warning the residents of this country against any infraction of the neutrality laws, and this in turn may be followed by instructions to the judicial officers of the government that will summarily check any hostile movements against the Spaniards in Cuba from this country.

Sultan of Morocco Ill.

BERLIN, July 20.—The Kolnische Zeitung has information that the Sultan of Morocco is seriously ill at Fez.

TELEGRAPHIC BREVITIES.

Interesting Items From Everywhere Expressed In a Few Words.

A storm at St. Clair, Mich., did great damage.

A "bloomer" ball was held at the pavilion in Jackson park, Chicago.

The lady cyclists of Portsmouth, O., have decided that bloomers are not the thing.

Lester Rhoads, 4, was severely injured at Marion, O., by being run over by a water tank wagon.

George Neder, 67, editor and proprietor of the Dayton (O.) Volks Zeitung, died from carbuncles.

Near Gallipolis, O., a small son of Mrs. Robert Womeldorff was probably fatally kicked by a horse.

Marion Tschauntz of Point Valley, near Millersburg, O., was kicked in the face by a horse and may die.

John Shorb, a ball player, was probably fatally injured at Upper Sandusky, O., by being struck by a ball.

Steve O'Donnell, Corbett's sparring partner, whipped Billy Woods of Denver in Montreal in 15 rounds.

The northern and southern delegates to the silver conference at Chicago could not agree and a big row ensued.

One fireman was killed and several injured in Philadelphia by the overturning of a hose cart en route to a fire.

Five companies of infantry will march from Columbus, O., to Fort Thomas, Ky., for their annual target practice.

In Los Angeles John G. Luck cut his wife's throat and then his own. Both may die. He accused her of [illegible] unfaithful.

It is said ex-Superintendent Byrnes is trying to get back into the New York police department. He is not likely to succeed.

Heavy rains at Marshalltown, Ia. Big corn and potato crops are assured. Considerable damage was done by washouts and lightning.

At Farmington, Minn., Ed Anderson, attempted to outrage his 12-year-old niece, and failing cut her throat. He may be lynched.

Miners at Salineville, O., are on a strike owing to the width of the screens used. They claim they are being cheated by the operators.

James L. Travers, a negro, was hanged in Washington. He murdered Lena Gross, his mistress, last November by cutting her throat.

The governor of Kentucky has refused to pardon A. R. Sutton, the Louisville forger, recently convicted of forging warehouse receipts.

Troops are held in readiness to go to the Jackson Hole region of Wyoming to suppress the Indians if the redskins continue to cause trouble.

A colony of Servians landed at Ellis Island, New York, Thursday. They are bound for California and have plenty of money. More will likely follow.

Advices from Alaska are to the effect that the country has been over-boomed and many prospectors will leave this fall. Provisions are running short and what can be had are very high priced.

At Spokane, Wash., H. L. Smith, a condemned murderer, escaped from the jail and was pursued. He sprang into the river but was swept back by the current. Seeing capture inevitable he drew a razor and cut his throat.

At Marion, O., William Copeland tried to kill his wife and brother with a razor, but was thwarted by another brother drawing a gun. He ran and threw a bottle at a daughter of Elias Bean, cutting a gash in head. He escaped.

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STREET TALK.

Commencing to-night the bath rooms of the Y. M. C. A. will be open until 12 o'clock each Saturday night. This is done to accommodate the clerks and all who have to work late Saturday night, and is an excellent move upon the part of the association.

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Gets the cold shake—lemonade.

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There was a special meeting of the city council at Cairo last evening to consider the ordinance governing the speed of railroad trains through the town, the enforcement of which has caused engineers so much trouble and the company great annoyance. Superintendent Husted was present and made a statement of what the company would like in the shape of an ordinance and it is probable the matter will be adjusted to the satisfaction of all concerned.

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A test of the rights of the police to stop mail wagons when they are going at a speed calculated to endanger the safety of pedestrians is to be made in Cincinnati. The driver of a mail wagon was arrested for driving too rapidly and refusing to stop when ordered. The driver of the wagon questioned the officer's right to interfere with a rapid transit of the mails. The postal authorities claim right of way over everything save fire apparatus, patrol wagons and funeral processions, and will test the right of the police to regulate them.

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Thursday evening a lodge of Odd Fellows will be instituted at Elida, and it is expected there will be a number of members go over from this city.

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The city ordinance regulating the erection of poles along Main street only provide for two different sets and last night the representatives of the Central Union Telephone company, Electric Light works and Street Railway company met with the street committee and discussed the matter as the Street Railway people will have to have some additional poles since they furnish their own power.

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N. F. Luckey, of Lima, formerly of Sidney, and who spends much of his time here, says the Sidney News, is the oldest thirty-second degree Mason made in Ohio. He was made a member of the Ohio Consistory when Scottish Rite Masonry was established in Ohio at Cincinnati.

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The latest charge brought against the bicycle is that it injures the book sellers trade. Books never have the same sale in summer as in winter, despite the fact that paper covered novels are in demand by the loungers on the seashore; but this year there is said to be a more than usual depression in the trade. The wheelman is blamed for this, as it is logically argued that while indulging in his favorite pastime he cannot possibly be reading a book, and when he gets home from his spin he is too tired to read. As the cycling craze is constantly increasing the result of its growth upon literature would make an interesting study.

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Engagement presents are now the proper thing. An appropriate gift is a couple of spoons.

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The Manhattan Oil company's refinery at Welker employs one hundred and thirty-five men and has a pay roll of $40,000 per year. Most of the employes reside in North Baltimore and Bairdstown, each two miles distant.

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The following is a description of yesterday's S. O. R. vs N. S. ball game in a nut shell:

It was in the first half of the seventh, as the shower came up, when a kid in the grand stand shouted: "Say, Ikey, bring in der dummies, it vas rainin'."

AMONG THE RAILROADS.

Agent McCoy, of the C. & E. went to Cincinnati to-day.

Superintendent Bickell, of the L. E. & W., was in Indianapolis yesterday.

Passenger conductors Shea and Connell, of the C., H. & D., will go to the Soo next week.

Brakeman Howard French, of the L. E. & W., is laying off. Brakeman Chisholm is with conductor Darby's car in his place.

East bound passenger train No. 2, due here at 6:55 o'clock on the L. E. & W., was four hours late last night on account of a washout on the Peoria division.

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U. S. Bonds to secure circulation	25 000 00
Premium on U. S. Bonds	2,500 00
Banking-house, furniture and fixtures	8,500 00
Other real estate and mortgages owned	7,126 95
Due from National Banks (not Reserve Agents)	3,115 43
Due from State Banks and bankers	3,141 56
Due from approved reserve agents	107 126 98
Notes of other National Banks	5,500 00
Fractional paper currency, nickels and cents	401 46
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Legal tender notes ... 30 000 00—	
U. S. certificates of deposits for legal tenders	50,000 00
Redemption fund with U. S. Treasurer (5 per cent. of circulation)	4,255 00
Total	$518,970 22

LIABILITIES	
Capital stock paid in	$100,000 00
Undivided profits, less expenses and taxes paid	3 427 02
National bank notes outstanding	22,500 00
Due to other National Banks	13 767 15
Due to State Banks and bankers	537 83
Individual deposits subject to check 267,740 11	
Demand certificates of deposit 110,976 34	
Deposits of U. S. Disbursing Officer 31 76	378,748 21
Total	$518,970 22

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I, C. D. Crites, Cashier of the above-named bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief. C. D. CRITES, Cashier.

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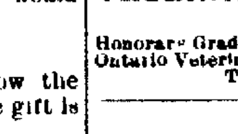

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Stambouloff's last words were "God protect Bulgaria." No mortal power seems able to afford protection to that restless country.

How many of the brick put on the public square have been subjected to the absorption test, which was required by the specifications? Or was it only the samples on which the contract was to be awarded that were to stand the test? The peculiar ways of this Republican council on public work where a large expenditure of money is involved, are past finding out.

The most significant part of the alleged Harrison interview was the wonderfully prompt and positive manner in which the "receptive" candidate from Indiana denied its truthfulness. Mr. Harrison may temporarily be summering in the woods of the Adirondacks, and may have been thoroughly impressed with the delights of country life at this period of the present year; but any one who may think that this distinguished gentleman will not be in evidence when the Republican Convention shall have got together next year knows very little about either politics or a certain "prince of politicians."

A few days ago a New York policeman found a watch on the sidewalk, and, guided by the impulse of reform that has swept madly over the metropolis, carried the timepiece directly to police headquarters. The watch was safely placed in the property room, and the policeman was instructed to return to his post. Just as he was going out of the door, however, he was recalled by the "reform" inspector and told to stay on his beat until 7 o'clock instead of 6, the usual hour, because he "had lost thirty minutes on the way down with the watch" and would lose thirty more on the way back to his beat. And so the cause of "reform" marches steadily on in the city opposite Hoboken!

The movement that is being pushed along to convict Pelligrini, the fruit vender, of labor on the Sabbath day, is provoking a great deal of comment among those who fancied that under Smiley's "reform" administration all the evils in our municipal government would be eliminated. And the fact that Pelligrini's chief persecutor is the person, who, before the Republican primary in the spring of 1894, urged the nomination of Smiley on the ground that he was the only man among the Republican group of candidates who would give a reform government, is very strong evidence that the present mayor is proving a disappointment to his friends. The public was assured through these columns during the mayoralty campaign of '94 that Smiley's professions and promises would all be violated, and the truth of this prediction has been abundantly verified. His reform promises were a sham and his administration is a dismal failure.

The public square paving is now about completed—that is to say the surface of the square has been covered with brick—such as they are. The next step of the Republican council of Lima will be to accept the job and pay for it out of the people's taxes. The work should have been carefully inspected as the work progressed, but it has not been done. Inferior bricks have been put in and have been winked at because, as the Republican councilman would express it, "it is only the taxpayers money that pays for it." The surface of the square is far from even, many of the brick extending far above the others. Yet it will be accepted and paid for by the Republican council, with the money taken from the taxpayers, although the character of the work is away below the standard. Instead of having the brick carefully inspected and the imperfect and defective ones rejected by a competent person, the contractors were permitted to lay the brick as they came, and sent their own man over the work to pull out the defective brick and turn them over, putting the defective face down. The brick may have been defective all over but on one edge, yet if that edge was turned up so as to hide the defects the Republican city fathers would not complain, "because it was only the taxpayers money that was being invested in it." No man who inspects the surface of the square can honestly say that the work is well done. The sidewalk committee of the city council would not accept a sidewalk as unevenly laid as that square is, and they should apply the same rule to the work done by Hallwood & Coleman that they would apply to a contractor for smaller jobs. Of course there is a difference in the the "'fluence" between a $25,000 contract and a $50 sidewalk job, but strict integrity would demand that no discrimination be made between them. It now comes to a question of integrity as to whether we get a dollar's worth of value for a dollar's worth of money in the public square paving matter.

A TEXAN'S VIEW OF SENATOR BRICE.

(Wash. Cor. of the Dallas, Tex., Morning News.)

The first time that he became known throughout the country was when the tariff bill was before the Senate. He made no speeches, and in fact no one can now state positively that he ever made a single demand of the Finance Committee to have a single schedule changed from what it was when the bill came from the House, yet he gained the character of having been the chief man in the overthrow of the Wilson bill and the substitution of the Gorman-Brice bill. He was charged with dealing in sugar, but not one word of the truth of this was proved before the committee that investigated the matter. Then he was charged with being in the sugar trust. He did not deny this, and he did not confess it. In fact, through that long fight over the tariff bill in the Senate, he did not utter a word, though he was being more severely assailed than any member of that body. I have never heard of his mentioning the matter but once. One of the Democratic Senators said to him one day:

"I would like to know your position in this tariff fight, Brice. You have never asked for a change in the schedule, and you have not made a speech or done anything to show that you are opposed to the Wilson bill, and yet you are charged with being the chief man who is murdering the tariff bill, as it came from the House. Tell me what you are doing and what is your position."

The Ohio man, still almost silent, answered: "When the Senate passes a tariff bill, which it will do, I am determined that no man shall get on the stump in the North and tell the people that it is a confederate brigadier bill, as they did when the Mills bill passed the House."

He said no more, and that was why he was willing to take the blame and do it without reply.

The first thing he did after he announced that he would make the race for the Senate was to go to Ohio and there straighten out matters in regard to the silver question. He said that he would not run on a free silver platform, but he need not have done this, as his party in that State had had enough of silver last year. He was gladly welcomed as a candidate by his party friends, as they needed just such a man for a candidate.

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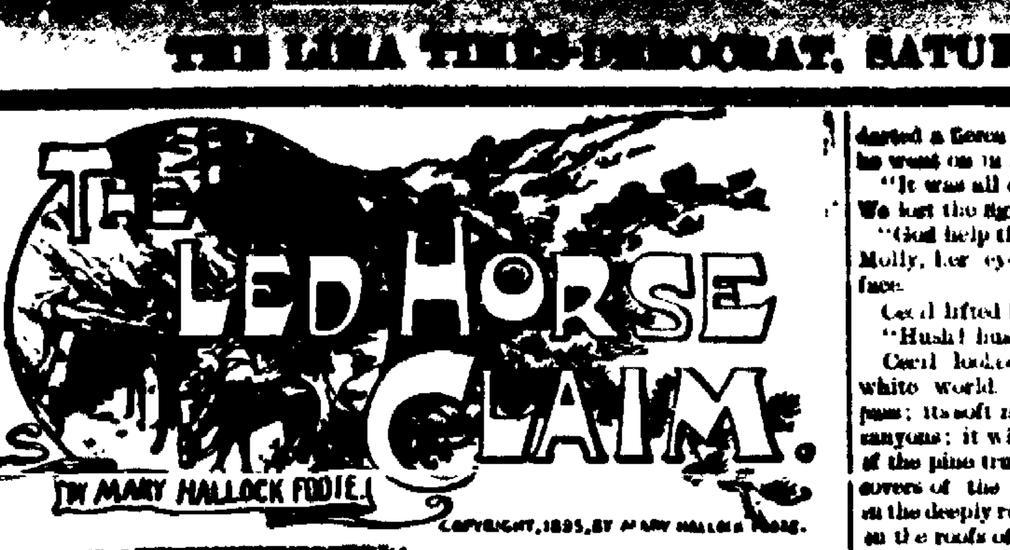

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CHAPTER X.

A young girl's mood seldom keeps the balance between joy and pain; it will lean, with all the emotional force of her crescent life, alternately to one extreme or the other. Cecil's brief calendar of years had counted no vigil like that of the night before; it was but natural there should be a strong recoil from such intolerable pain She did not feel the reaction until long after her tryst with Hilgard was over. Her timid joy in that contract was not quick to assert itself. It grew with solemn gladness in the quiet hours and met with its warm, strong current the bitter waters that had spread in the watches of the night, laying waste her pride of life. Her pride was prostrate still, but love can do much to heal the wounds of youthful pride.

Cecil walked, with noiseless step, back and forth the length of the firelit room; her shadow, mounting the low walls to the ceiling, followed her with grotesque exaggerations of her movements. She was alone, but tonight she felt no loneliness. Since she had first seen him she had never permitted herself to think of Hilgard. But now her eyes drooped, and blushes burned on her cheeks, rebuking the vision that answered her thoughts too vividly. Something in his image, as it came before her that night, troubled her. Was it his beauty, that seemed fit rather for a pageant of love than for love's unseen abnegations? Was it the contrast between Hilgard's knightly integrity and her brother's shabby part in life? She had clothed herself in Conrath's weakness and humiliation as in a robe of mourning. Would her lover accept her in her weeds? Could her future include both Hilgard and her brother?

The struggle was over in which she had tried to preserve her loyalty to Conrath's cause in the face of a growing conviction that he was in the wrong. She found a certain rest in admitting the truth and falling back on the next lower level of womanly faith, that he had been deceived to the last. Now there would be no more talk of mine and thine. Conrath would go east; he could not desire to stay when this wretched business was over. There, among safer conditions, with old friends around him, he would regain his old life. She could find merciful excuses for him in the past. They had been two motherless children, constantly changed about from one temporary home to another, and from one boarding school to another, until school days were over. She had known but little of her brother's life in the interval between his schooldays and the marriage of their father, which had made the brother and sister more dependent on each other That marriage had not given them a mother; it had only separated them a little more from their father. It was then Conrath had made himself his sister's protector and provider. How proud she had been of his new honors and responsibilities, and how grateful for the home he had brought her to! She stopped, in that terror of the future and its incompatibility with the past, which chilled her dreams of happiness. How could they ever be reconciled?

At bedtime Peter came in with an armful of heavy green logs for the fire. Cecil went into the kitchen and said good night to Molly, who was dozing over a novel by the stove; she fastened the doors, wound the clock, and curled herself into the hammock, wrapped in a Navajo blanket. She left the curtains undrawn—a custom in the camp, that the house might not be dark to a friend outside. She would watch these last hours, until the train went out, and bid her lover a silent, prayerful goodspeed.

She swung herself gently to and fro, watching the shadows in the room, chased by the flame flashes. The hammock swung slower and slower. One arm dropped over its side; the warm, relaxed hand softly unclosed; the long shadow wavering on the carpet rested, and Cecil slept.

The fire flamed and crackled and smoldered down. The sky thickened, and the stars struggled to keep their lookout above the restless lights of the camp. The windows of peaceful, frugal homes were dark, but lights burned still in the house of sickness, in the house of revelry and in the house of death. Underground, where day and night are interchangeable, the ceaseless labor went on. The night traffic of the camp went on; late footsteps sounded on the resonant board sidewalks. Watchers by lonely prospect holes renewed their fires.

The moon rose above the hill across the gulch and looked in through the window—a sinister old moon, leaning with one cheek awry above a ragged pillow of cloud. She knew the strifes and the secrets of the camp. She looked in many uncurtained windows that night upon many sleepers and many who longed for sleep, and upon many to whom such fair, innocent sleep as Cecil's would never come again. The young girl lay alone in the shadowy room and slept, while the night waned, unconscious of the drear procession of tomorrows that awaited the cold, beckoning finger of daylight. She slept, while across the gulch, in another shadowy room, the defenders of the Led Horse sat, with their rifles across their knees, in a fateful silence.

A log parted and fell and rolled forward on the hearth, filling the room with smoke. Cecil woke and rose up to mend the fire, opening the door to let the smoke escape. She stood a moment looking out. It came to her with a shudder how in that same low light the night before she had waited at the door for her brother's heavy step, and she prayed that he might not come home that way tonight.

At that moment the eastward bound train went clanging and rumbling out of the town; its roar was deadened now in the deep cut now loud again below the hill, dying gradually on the long grades of the first descent. He was gone. Thank God for that! But what was this unwonted stillness of the night? What sound did she miss from those familiar daily and nightly sounds she had ceased to listen for in their continuousness? She listened now, and her own pulses throbbed, heavy and fast, as it came to her that the pulse of the Shoshone had stopped beating. Its engine was silent, and from the opposite hill there came not a sound. Both mines were dumb.

Cecil's first impulse was to waken Molly and send her to the shafthouse for news, but she forbore. "Let her sleep, poor girl," she thought; "it may mean trouble for her as well as for me."

She shrank from going out herself to meet whatever event might be coming. She waited an hour—an hour of hopeless expectation.

It was now 3 o'clock. The night had changed; fleecy moving clouds pervaded the sky, and the moon, wading through them as through drifted snow, occasionally showed a bright segment of her disk.

She heard footsteps approaching the house, treading slowly over the frozen mud. They paused near the end of the piazza, and low voices of men spoke together. Then a single tread went quickly around the house to the outer door of the kitchen.

Cecil rose up, wan as a star at daybreak. The first knock came—low. repeated with brief pauses, as if the knocker listened for some stir within the house.

The footsteps outside moved forward toward the steps of the porch—a horrible four footed human tread—shuffling nearer, heavily mounting the steps, grating across the floor of the porch—pausing at the door. Something was laid down at the very threshold of that door.

She could not go and open it.

The knocking continued. A man's step passed along the porch and a face looked in at the window—looked in Cecil's face and started back.

Slowly she dragged herself the length of the long room and felt her way through the dark passage to the kitchen.

The knocking was loud on the outer door. She crept to the door of Molly's room and heard the girl moving and her low voice speaking from the window to one outside.

"Whist, for God's sake! I'm comin!"

She clung helplessly to the door, and Molly, opening it, took her in and half carried her to the bed. She pressed her down into it and covered her deep under the bedclothes.

"Lie still! Don't stir till I come," she whispered, with her warm cheek laid upon Cecil's.

"Molly, the engines have stopped! I must go myself! It is for me!" Cecil tried to rise in the bed.

"Whatever it is you'll know soon enough! I'll come to you with it, Miss Cecil, dear."

Molly shut the bedroom door behind her, opened the door of the kitchen and spoke with some one outside. Cecil heard her close the door again and heard the footsteps outside returning around the house to the porch. Molly went on through the kitchen, carefully closing all the doors behind her, as if the sounds in the house were a pestilent wind from which she would protect her mistress.

Cecil, lying alone in the dark room, benumbed by the keenness of her anguished dread, fell off into a half unconscious dream of some hovering horror. Suddenly she sprang up. Molly was bending over her. A candle on a stand showed the girl's face plainly. Cecil asked no questions. She rose from the bed, and, holding Molly's hand, followed her in silence back through kitchen and passage to the parlor.

Three miners stood with their backs to the fire. They took off their hats as the women entered, and one of them, a smooth cheeked young fellow, meeting Cecil's eyes, turned away his own and rubbed one arm hastily across his face.

That which she had dreaded to see was not there, but one end of the hammock had been unslung. It lay coiled on the floor, and across the place where she had been sleeping, footsteps, crowding upon each other, had printed themselves on the carpet in the yellow mud of the mine, making a diagonal track from the outer door to the door of her brother's bedchamber.

Cecil's eyes followed that track; then she lifted them to Molly's face, drawing her breath with a deep, hard gasp.

The faithful girl took her young mistress into her arms and gathered her close, rocking her gently in her strong embrace and moaning over her like a mother over a child in pain that cannot be relieved.

Gashwiler stepped out from the group of three by the fire, saying in the heavy whisper of a man who has no low tones in his voice:

"Miss, he was dead at the first shot!"

Molly felt a sharp quiver pass over the form locked close in her arms. She darted a fierce glance at Gashwiler, but he went on in his merciless whisper:

"It was all over, miss, two hours ago. We lost the fight when he was shot!"

"God help them that begun it!" said Molly, her eyes fixed on Gashwiler's face.

Cecil lifted her head.

"Hush! hush! Let me go to him!"

Cecil looked out the next day on a white world. Snow lay deep on the pass; its soft mantle covered the rugged canyons; it whitened the windward side of the pine trunks and the gray canvas covers of the freight wagons, hemmed in the deeply rutted roads; it lay smooth on the roofs of the town and deadened the tramping of feet on the board sidewalks; it had obliterated all the devious footprints of the night before—it had hidden that track from the Shoshone shafthouse to Conrath's door.

Conrath's door no longer. He would go out of it once more, and then the account between the Led Horse and the Shoshone would be settled. There was no more talk of mine and thine for Conrath, lying straightened on his unused bed. It had come to Cecil in her long watch beside him that this was the only way in which his future could be reconciled to his past. It was better for him to lie so, his rash struggle over, empty handed, claiming nothing, refuting nothing.

Better that silence, that dignity of rest, that look of his boyhood stealing back over the hardened features of his manhood, than a triumphant bringing home of sheaves that had been wrested from a fellow laborer. He had atoned to the uttermost, with all that a man has to give in restitution for wrong—a wrong attempted but not accomplished. The account weighed now on the other side. She was humbly thankful that she would never have to know whose hand had turned the scale.

These were the thoughts that sank, cold and still as the snowflakes falling from the gray sky, into Cecil's bruised heart, smothering the passion of her grief

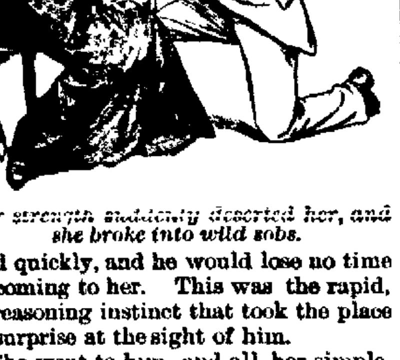
The snow fell all day. It clung to the window sashes and melted from the logs that were laid upon the fire. The trail that led down into the gulch was buried out of sight. The yellow gold of the aspens would not be seen again until it had been transmuted into sodden leaf mold. The low monument stones were hidden; the scars on the young trees, bearing the marks of human possession, had been sealed out of sight by the impartial hand which keeps no record of the contracts of men, and Cecil's little ring, with its graven motto, "Dieu vous garde," lay deep under the snow.

A few people came from the town that day of storm to offer their help and sympathy to the lonely household. Molly received them all and spared her mistress the questions and the exclamations.

Toward dusk Hilgard came plowing through the snow to the kitchen door and asked Molly if he could see her mistress. A fire had been kindled in Conrath's office, and Cecil had spent many hours of the day sitting there alone. Molly told Hilgard to go into the parlor and went herself to the office to seek her mistress.

Hilgard went into the parlor and found Cecil there.

Among the rumors of the day that had come dimly to her ears was one that the train eastward bound had been blocked by snow in the valley. When she saw Hilgard enter the room she accepted the fact of his sudden return as the natural result of her longing for him. She had thought he would hear of her sorrow first when he was thousands of miles away, but the merciful snow had checked him, and the news had brought him back. Bad news trav-



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eled quickly, and he would lose no time in coming to her. This was the rapid, unreasoning instinct that took the place of surprise at the sight of him.

She went to him, and all her simple, unquestioning need of him spoke in her face as she raised it to his, putting up her arms like a child.

In the full knowledge of what was before him he took her in his arms, and held her close, in a silent, remorseful embrace.

Drawing his head down to hers, with her hands clasped behind his neck, she whispered:

"You are all that I have left."

He did not speak, but gently unclasped her hands and moved a little away from her. Would she ever come to him again and put up her arms to him, owning him as her only earthly refuge?

She did not seem to understand his withdrawing from her. She stood a moment looking at him helplessly, and then sat down in the nearest chair.

"Did you hear of it, and come back? You knew how I would need you."

"No, I did not come back."

She kept her eyes on his face, without listening to his words.

"You must not look so! You must not suffer so for me! Ah, think how much worse it might have been! If you had not gone"—

"Cecil, I did not go! You must try not to be hard on me It had come to the clinch—I could not go!"

"You must have gone!" she said, rising and confronting him with her white face of dread. "I heard the train go out."

"I was not on it. Will you sit still, Cecil? I will tell you all."

"I do not wish to hear it. I cannot hear it!"

"Do you think I need not tell you? You will let it rest? God bless you, my dearest!"

"No no!" she moaned. "You will have to tell me!"

He waited until he could speak and then spoke fast, in hard, unmodulated sentences.

"I went down to hold the drift. We heard them open the door of the barricade, but we could not see their faces. It was dark in the drift. We called to them to stop. There was firing. I don't know who fired first."

"How many were you?"

"We were two!"

"No, no!" she pleaded wildly. "There must have been more than two!"

"The others were not down. Before God, I don't know who did it; it lies between West and me!"

They looked at each other in the desolate silence that followed, and then she asked:

"Why did you go down?"

"West would have gone alone. You cannot ask me why I did not let one of my men take my place?"

"It does not matter," she said.

"No, it does not matter; the responsibility is mine. Cecil, I am the same man you gave your promise to last night. I do not love such work. I went into it sick at heart. I wish, God knows, I were in his place!"

"I wish we both were. Oh, my heart is broken!"

"But you cannot mean that it's all over between us? Does it make no difference that it was forced upon me? I have to say it: We were on our own ground; their barricade was 50 feet within our line. A barricade that is only for defense does not have a door in it, and, Cecil, they were five to one!"

"You are talking about my brother!"

He could say no more.

"I am not judging you," she pleaded in answer to his look of dumb, passionate despair.

"No; you are only sentencing me without judgment. At least, you will not refuse what poor help I can offer you now? There are things to be done for you which only a man can do. Is there any one here who has a better right than I—than I had last night?"

"They have telegraphed for my father. Oh, forgive me!" she murmured, leaning toward him with an agony of pity in her eyes.

He did not see it. He sat facing the window, and the pitiless, white stare of the snow laden sky outside. When he spoke again his voice had lost the accent of appeal.

"I did not know you had a father."

"What have we known of each other? We are strangers. Oh, it has all been too sudden, too rash! It began wrong!"

"Then let us begin over again! I will go away now. I will wait. I will not ask to see you for a long time. But you will give me some hope in the future? I have had no chance to show my love for you. It is true, we do not know each other. But shall we not know each other some day? It is not just to set this awful fatality forever between us!"

She looked at him as if asking him to understand without words, which came so hard.

"I am doing nothing," she said. "It is done already. We must keep apart, because that is the only way to bear it."

"Cecil, you cannot mean it! Why, great heaven! if I were the lowest criminal there would be some poor fool of a woman to cling to me! You disgrace me for life. I have done what was simply my duty. But I didn't expect you to feel that. I counted on your mercy. I thought you would forgive me—as you forgive your brother—as I forgive him. For, if this is what you mean, heaven knows, I too have something to forgive!"

"There can be no forgiveness between us," she said, piteously. "Oh, cannot you understand? If you were old or crippled; if your life were spoiled in some way, I would share it with you. I would go away with you now, if I could suffer with you. But, if we were together, we should not suffer. We should be happy—after awhile."

"Ah, yes," he moaned, "we should be happy. What have we done that we should not be happy?"

"You will be happy, I hope—but not with me. Not with—his sister!"

"Why don't you say it out? Am I his murderer, that you hold off from me like that?" Her meek but inflexible resistance maddened him. "Cecil, my little girl, you did love me. Do you love me now? And will you not let me try to heal the hurt I have given you?"

"I love you," she said, resisting his embrace, "but not in that way!"

"There is no other way!"

"Is there not? If it had been you, instead of him"—

"If it had"—he wrested the words from her—"and if he were in my place now would you disown him for my sake?"

"I could not do that. I could not break a tie that is in my blood."

"Is there no tie, then, between us?"

She leaned her head low between her hands.

"We made it ourselves. I made it selfishly. I made you come to me; do you remember?"

Did he remember! Only last night her head had rested on his breast; now there was no help or shelter of his she would ever seek again.

She sat with her hands tightly locked together in her lap, white, trembling, but immovable.

"There is another way! If you were—as he is now—would I not love you? You are the same to me as he is; you are dead to me!"

Her strength suddenly deserted her, and she broke into wild sobs. He knelt beside her and forced her gently into his arms.

"Cecil, you cannot put me out of your life like this with a word! You cannot mean to mock me with a love that denies our very humanity. It is nonsense to say I am dead to you when every nerve in my body starts at your touch. Did we make that tie? It is the oldest, the strongest tie between man and woman. There is no duty that can break it I am your duty and you are mine, in the sight of God. There is no law that forbids me to love you."

"There is an instinct that forbids me—I must follow that"

She struggled to her feet. He rose, too, and stood before her, white with the passion of his last appeal.

"You have done your duty, in spite of the cost," she said. "But you cannot judge for me. A woman's duty is different"

A belief that he must, in the end, prevail, had [illegible] him and fed his persistence, but it forsook him now as he looked in her face. He continued to look at her a moment; something like a shiver passed over him; then his words came heavily, like the first sluggish drops following a deep wound:

"Are you so sure that this is your duty?"

"Oh, if you only had not been so sure of yours!" she faltered, dealing this last blow helplessly, and hearing herself speak as if her voice were the voice of some one else, pronouncing his doom and her own.

There was a loud knock on the outer door. The same ominous hand delivered it that had knocked in the watches of the night before. Cecil started at the sound and turned, in her terror, to Hilgard. It was the one moment when she might have yielded.

The knock was repeated. She made a gesture toward the door, and as Hilgard turned to open it she escaped from the room.

It was Gashwiler who stood on the threshold.

"Go to the other door!" Hilgard said, fierce with the anguish that was mounting in his blood.

His words were like a curse. The two men looked each other in the eyes for an instant; then Gashwiler retreated down the steps and around the corner of the house to the kitchen.

Hilgard plunged through the melting drifts that hid the trail, dashing the wet snow from the low fir boughs. A storm of revolt was let loose within him. He saw no justice, no logic, in his fate. Its mockery was yet in store for him.

CHAPTER XI.

A telegram to the home office, conveying the news of the fight and its result, was immediately followed by Hilgard's formal resignation.

This step was not taken from any consciousness of mistaken or excessive zeal, but from the personal aspect of the situation. His letter of resignation was accompanied by a brief statement of the circumstances that had led to the fight, and which had made it, so far as the Led Horse was concerned, inevitable. The answer to his telegram prepared him for the prompt acceptance of his resignation. It was carefully worded, and evidently intended as an official comment on his action. It was as follows:

"Officers of company deplore unhappy tragedy of twenty-second. They repudiate measures requiring sacrifice of life for property. Less violent policy would better represent company."

The administration in the east, while conceding discretionary power to the executive in the west, was keenly sensitive to any responsibility which might attach to itself through the exercise of that power.

"They don't repudiate the mine," Hilgard said to himself, bitterly. "Their scruples won't prevent their pocketing the dividends after they have washed their hands of the men who saved their property."

For himself he did not care; it seemed but a grimace of that fate which had first dealt him its cruelest blow; but it hurt him to think of West. The only elaborate part of his letter had referred to West's share in the discovery and the quenching of the plot. He had taken a chief's pride in the loyalty and courage of his adjutant, and he commended him earnestly to his successor. Perhaps some recognition of his service, the kind of service that has no price, would come later. In the meantime he suppressed the telegram. He was ashamed to read it to the man who had said, "I reckon I could hold the drift alone!"

"They think it's a kind of border ruffianism," Hilgard said to himself; "they don't consider it legitimate mining."

It could not add to his hopelessness, but it imbittered it somewhat, to find himself classed with the very men whose principles he had sacrificed his life's happiness to defeat.

That element of the camp of which the Shoshone policy was the exponent accepted Conrath as its martyr. Gashwiler would have been a far less interesting figure in death. He and Conrath were both jumpers, but Gashwiler was known to be a professional jumper, while Conrath could claim the distinction of an amateur. Gashwiler was not young and handsome, not supposed to come of a good eastern family. Gashwiler's family was a subject of general indifference. He was not particularly free with his money. There were no ladies of fashion in the camp who would be likely to exchange reminiscences of his attentions to themselves or compare their respective degrees of intimacy with the hero of the hour. Even the sober, thoughtful citizens, who would have dismissed Gashwiler's removal with the unperplexed sentiment that he had got his deserts, found a certain pathos in the fate of his young chief, cut off by an act of wild justice, at the beginning of his career.

TO BE CONTINUED.

He Could.

A well known and busy actress has a little daughter who is a precocious young pagan, and the other night, as the nurse was away, she was put to bed by a friend of her mother's.

"Do you not say your prayers, dear?"

"Nop!" responded the infantile heathen. "I don't know any, and mamma is always away when I go to bed."

"Perhaps you would like to learn a prayer," suggested she of the missionary tendencies. "Do you think you could?"

"Could I learn a prayer?" repeated the younger in derisive tones. "I should say I could. I'm very quick study."—New York Mercury.

A Proverb Revised.

We are frequently reminded of the inutility of locking the barn door after the horse is stolen, but we are now told of a case where a man's stable has been stolen. The adage might be revised, however, so as to read, "Don't put your horse in his stall after your stable is stolen."—Boston Transcript.

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11. Mary Gottfried, guardian of Lewis Gott fried heirs; fifth and final account.
12. Frank E Duffield, assignee of J. E. O'Connell, insolvent; first and final account.
13. Christen B. Stemen, guardian of Nancy Stemen, imbecile; first account.
14. Viola F. Gates, administratrix of Robert H. Farensworth, deceased; first and final account.
15. Minnie Finkenour, guardian of Henry and William Finkenour, minors; fourth account.
16. Jno. W. Fetter, guardian of Omer Lee Hadsell, late a minor; second and final account.

THEO. D. ROBB, Probate Judge.

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Notice of Appointment.

The undersigned has been duly appointed and qualified as assignee in trust for the benefit of the creditors of David L. Seder. All persons indebted to said assignor will make immediate payment, and all creditors will present their claims, duly authenticated, to the undersigned for allowance.

Lima, Ohio, June 24th, 1895.

WALTER J. RICHIE, Assignee.

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ERIE LINES.

Chicago & Erie Railroad.

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FROM LIMA, OHIO.

TRAINS WEST.	Depar
No. 5 Vestibule Limited, daily, for Chicago	1:13 p. m
" 3 Pacific Express, daily, for Chicago	12:41 a. m
" 1 Express daily, except Sunday for Chicago	9:18 a. m.
" 21 local daily, except Sunday	7:00 a. m.
TRAINS EAST.	
No. 8, Vestibule Limited, daily, for New York and Boston	9:15 p. m
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" 12, Express daily, for New York	2:40 a. m
" 22 local daily, except Sunday	7:36 a. m.

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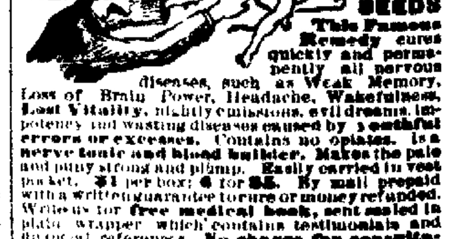

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CORRECT SCHEDULE

Of the arrival and departure of trains from Lima, Ohio.

C., H. & D.

North.	South.
6:10 a. m	5:45 a. m.
8:40 a. m	9:30 a. m.
1:56 p. m daily	daily 1:20 p. m.
5:05 p. m	daily 6:05 p. m.
2:50 a. m daily	daily 2:30 a. m.
7:48 a m—Sunday only	Sunday—7:35 a. m.

CHICAGO & ERIE.

East.	West.
7:00 a. m. Local	Local 7:00 a. m.
2:30 p. m	9:18 a. m.
9:15 p. m	1:18 p. m.
3:48 a. m	12:06 a. m.

P., F. W. & C.

East.	West.
7:45 a. m	9:20 a. m.
	2:50 p. m.
3:15 p. m	2:44 p. m.
9:35 p. m	1:45 a. m.
10:50 p. m. Limited	Limited 3:48 a. m.

L. E. & W.

East.	West.
7:20 a. m	9:25 a. m
1:40 p. m	5:00 p. m.
7:30 p. m	2:45 a. m

OHIO SOUTHERN.

Depart—South.	Arrive.
6:00 a. m	12:30 p.m
4:35 p. m	7:30 p. m.

A REMEDY FOR SEASICKNESS.

Breathe Inwards as the Ship Descends, Outward as She Rises.

The very latest remedy for seasickness comes just in time for the approaching season of holiday travel. Like all its predecessors, it is, of course, infallible, and so simple that no one will henceforth have the least excuse for an attack of mal de mer. All you have to do is to pay careful attention to rise and fall of the vessel, and to breathe inward as it goes down and exhale the breath every time it mounts a wave. Simple enough, no doubt; but fancy having to continue the process all through a long voyage, sleeping hours and meal times included? And then, what about conversation? Talking, in these circumstances, would be obviously impossible; and only imagine the delights of a silent yachting party.—*Lady's Pictorial.*

Marvelous Results.

From a letter written by Rev. J. Gunderman, of Dimondale, Mich., we are permitted to make this extract: "I have no hesitation in recommending Dr. King's New Discovery, as the results were almost marvelous in the case of my wife. While I was pastor of the Baptist Church at Rives Junction she was brought down with Pneumonia succeeding La Grippe. Terrible paroxysms of coughing would last hours with little interruption and it seemed as if she could not survive them. A friend recommended Dr. King's New Discovery; it was quick in its work and highly satisfactory in results." Trial bottles free at Melville's Drug Store. Large size 50c. and $1.00.

Let Us Hope So.

The train from the South was late, and when it arrived Charley found that there was hardly time to get the people he had been waiting for to the Union station. So he hurried them into a coach, with orders to the driver to do his best. The party reached the station just in time, and were bundled into the Bar Harbor train, and off they went. Then Charley remarked to his sister:

"I paid for eight, and there were only seven of us. How does that happen, I wonder?"

"Who was that tall woman in the black dress?" asked Julia, in reply.

"Why, wasn't she one of our party?"

"No, indeed."

"The deuce! She came out with the others, and I grabbed her and shoved her into the carriage. I remember she said something about taking a street car, and I told her she wouldn't have time. And here I've sent her off to Bar Harbor, and perhaps she only wanted to go to South Boston or Roxbury! Well, I hope she'll enjoy her trip."—*Boston Transcript*

Children Cry for Pitcher's Castoria.

THE DAM MUST GO.

So Say the Hardin County Commissioners - Monday the Last Day of Grace.

The ten days' notice given the paper mill authorities to remove the dam that obstructs the flow of the water in the river at their factory, is drawing to a close.

Monday is the last day, and Sheriff Ranney will, if not interfered with, remove the old nuisance, which will no doubt be glad tidings to all living near enough to smell the vile substance that is emptied into the Scioto, just below the mill. G. E. Crane, the attorney for the mill, says he has no instructions to resist, and unless he is notified to-morrow no resistence will be made.

After the dam is once removed and the water allowed to flow, it will only take a very short time to prove whether or not the water passing through the mill is poisonous to the fish or not, which, if it proves to be, is not fit for stock to drink.—*Kenton News.*

Grand Base Ball Excursion

Via C., H. & D. R. R. to Cincinnati, Sunday, July 21, only $2 00 for the round trip. Tickets good going and returning on all regular trains of the 21st.

OIL AND GAS.

IMPORTANT SUIT.

In a petition filed in the Common Pleas Court at Findlay yesterday, Thomas C. Kelley, an oil operator, seeks to hinder the Standard Company from continuing a course which he claims affects his interests. The Standard formerly held a lease on the John Hastings farm, north of Findlay, but failing to operate it as per terms of the lease, it was released to Kelley, Ely & Co. The Standard fought the case bitterly, but were beaten in the Circuit and Supreme Courts. It was after this defeat that the Standard adopted the plan of retaliation, to which Mr. Kelly takes exception in his suit.

It is an unwritten law among oil operators not to drill nearer than two hundred feet to another well, whether owned by themselves or others. The Standard controls territory on the south and east sides of the Hastings farm, and it is arranging to put down along these two lines a series of wells 400 feet apart and just twenty-five feet from the line of the Hastings lease. Mr. Kelly claims this course is not necessary in order for the Standard to operate its own leases, but is done solely in retaliation and in order to rob his lease of the oil which is properly his own. He says the Standard's course will cause him irreparable damage, and he asks an injunction. Judge Melhorn, sitting at Kenton, granted a temporary restraining order, enjoining the Standard from drilling any wells nearer than 200 feet to the line of the Hastings farm.

AUGLAIZE COUNTY NEWS.

The Ohio Oil Co.'s No. 19 on the Kishler farm in Noble township, drilled a few days ago, is good for 20 barrels.

The Dutch Oil Co. drilled in a well on the A. L. Lutz farm in section 15, Noble township, the other day, the second venture on this farm and both of them failures.

The Columbia Oil Co. drilled in their No. 2 on the T. E. Bowsher farm the other day and they have the rig up for their No. 3. Their No. 2 is doing 60 barrels a day and is a stayer.

The operators on wells on the Oehlrich, Wierwille and Vordermark farms in Washington township have been having bad luck of late, and none of them will be in for a week or ten days yet.

The Mooney & Goeke well on Mrs. Thielk's farm in Washington township was 35 feet in the sand Tuesday, and a poor showing for oil. The well is in what was believed to be good territory and the result is disappointing.

The Rabbit Foot Oil Co.'s well on the Henry Lutterbeck farm in Washington township was drilled in last Saturday, and on Monday was given a shot. It makes a good showing but does not come up with the Knierin well.

A new well was drilled in on the Wm. Crow farm near Buckland last Saturday that made an excellent showing and is now said to be doing 100 barrels per day. This is by far the best well drilled in recently in the Buckland field.—*Wapakoneta Republican.*

Last summer one of our grand children was sick with a severe bowel trouble. Our doctor's remedies had failed, then we tried Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy, which gave very speedy relief. We regard it as the best medicine ever put on the market for bowel complaints.—Mrs. E. G. Gregory, Frederickstown, Mo. This certainly is the best medicine ever put on the market for dysentery, summer complaint, colic and cholera infantum in children. It never fails to give prompt relief when used in reasonable time and the plain printed directions are followed. Many mothers have expressed their sincere gratitude for the cures it has effected. For sale by Melville Bros., next to P. O.; C. W. Heister, 58 Public Square.

Excursion Trains to Quincy

Via the Ohio Southern leave the C. & E. depot at 9 a. m. and 1 p. m., Sunday July 21st. 50 cents round trip. 6 2t

High Tariff or Low Tariff

Does not interest the individual who is suffering from colic or diarrhoea. What he wants and wants badly is Foley's Colic and Diarrhoea Cure. 25c. and 50c. H. F. Vortkamp, N. E. Cor. Main and North sts

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For Girls. The highest intellectual advantages, a beautiful and comfortable home, a bountiful table, and careful attention to all that pertains to good health, thorough mental training, refined manners and the best general culture. Catalogues sent

Four Big Successes.

Having the needed merit to more than make good all the advertising claimed for them, the following four remedies have reached a phenomenal sale. Dr King's New Discovery for consumption, Coughs and Colds, each bottle guaranteed—Electric Bitters, the great remedy for Liver, Stomach and Kidneys. Bucklen's Arnica Salve, the best in the world, and Dr King's New Life Pills, which are a perfect pill. All these remedies are guaranteed to do just what is claimed for them and the dealer whose name is attached herewith will be glad to tell you more of them. Sold at Melville's Drug Store.

TO DIVA, WHO WOULD MARRY HI

How shall I thank thee for the bounteous grace,
The loving kindness that would make me free
To gaze forever on my Diva's face,
A citizen of heaven eternally,
In that clear paradise of thine to know
Things I but dimly surmise here below?

But surely, Diva, greatly as I long
To drink the deep delights of that abode—
Surely I have not sung my latest song,
Drained my last cup and trod the allotted road?
Why in so fierce a hurry to translate
Me from the mundane to the immortal state?

Diva, 'tis fair indeed, 'tis passing fair,
This bid, unideal, probationary time;
I know the purer joys that wait elsewhere,
Above, beyond this planet's grief and grime
But grant me one sweet respite ere I try
Those other blisses, lest they be too high.

—Pall Mall Gazette.

A QUEER ANIMAL.

The Australian Duckbill Carries a Sting In One Leg.

Australia certainly holds the palm for queer and uncouth animals. Chief among these is the duckbill, or ornithorhynchus, which Sidney Smith described as "a kind of mole with webbed feet and the bill of a duck, which agitated Sir Joseph Banks and rendered him miserable from his utter inability to decide whether it was a bird or a beast." It was only recently that it was proved beyond a doubt that this curious animal lays eggs like a bird, though this had long been reported by travelers. Now comes the news that it has a sting on its hind leg, capable of killing by its poisonous effects. We quote from The Lancet:

"For a long time it was considered to be quite harmless and destitute of any weapon of offense, although the hind legs of the males were armed with a powerful spur, apparently connected with a gland. Then the opinion was advanced that this might be a weapon allied to the poisonous armory of snakes, scorpions and bees, all of which possess a sort of hypodermic poison syringe. Though one set of observers asserted that this was the case, another set denied it, and so Dr. Stuart determined, if possible, to solve this question. He received two independent accounts, which coincided perfectly, and from them he concludes that at certain seasons, at all events, the secretion is virulently poisonous. The mode of attack is not by scratching, but by lateral inward movements of the hind legs. Two cases are reported in dogs. One dog was 'stung' three times, the symptoms much resembling those from bee or hornet poison. The dog was evidently in great pain and very drowsy, but there were no tremors, convulsions or staggering. It is worthy of note that a certain immunity seems obtainable, for the dog suffered less on the second occasion and still less on the third. Two cases of men being wounded are reported, in both of which the animals were irritated, one by being shot and handled, the other by being handled only; the symptoms were the same as in the dog. No deaths are reported in human beings, but four in dogs."—Literary Digest.

Tired women need to have their blood purified and enriched by Hood's Sarsaparilla. It will give them strength and health.

General Greely of arctic fame is as distinguished in the social circles where he is known as in the field of polar exploration. Brave and gallant, he is a great favorite in society, but it is doubtful if he has anywhere a more ardent admirer than one small maiden to whom he stands as a knight "sans reproche."

She was the host's daughter at an afternoon reception when General Greely was the lion of the occasion. The belles of the town were directing all their volley of superlative and bewitching glances at the hero, who, however, ignored these enticements and asked to accompany the 12-year-old miss to the dining room. Delighted beyond measure at this unexpected attention, the child accepted and went proudly off, scarcely knowing whether the salad he brought her were chicken or sawdust. The crowning joy came, however, when, talking to her as if she "had been Mrs. Cleveland," to quote her own words, her companion asked how many brothers and sisters she had.

She replied, "One brother and one sister, the boy between," and added, "Some persons call us a sandwich, but I think that is rather hard on us girls, because everybody likes meat so much better than bread."

"Ah, my dear," said the general, with a bow, "not when it is so well bred."

Can any sneerer at puns drive from the maid's memory her exclusive pleasure in this one?—New York Times.

In the Past Tense.

"Say, mister," he called, with his head in the door of a Michigan avenue grocery, "do you own a hoss?"

"Yes; I own a horse," replied the grocer as he looked up from his paper.

"And a wagon?"

"Yes; what of it?"

"Nuthin, 'cept you are mistaken about the wagon," drawled the boy. "Your hoss took a skate down the street about five minits ago, and there hain't 'nuff of that there wagon left to make a club of."—Detroit Free Press.

Gasparin estimates that the evaporation of water from the surface of the earth is from 25 to 50 inches a year, according to location.

Walter had been on the ocean a day and night, and when land appeared he said, "Oh, mamma, I am so pleased to see dirt again."

Children Cry for Pitcher's Castoria.

WHITTIER'S FIRST POETRY.

One Boyish Poem Caused Him William Lloyd Garrison's Friendship.

After he had made the acquaintance of Burns' poems, Whittier began to scribble rhymes of his own on his slate at school and in the evening about the family hearth. One of his boyish stanzas has lingered in the memory of an elder sister:

And must I always swing the flail
And help to fill the milking pail?
I wish to go away to school,
I do not wish to be a fool.

With practice he began to be bolder, and he wrote verses of [illegible] everyday events, and also little ballads. One of these, written when he was 17, his eldest sister liked so well that she sent it to the weekly paper of Newburyport, The Free Press, then recently started by William Lloyd Garrison. She did this without telling her brother, and no one was more surprised than he when he opened the paper and found his own verses in "The Poets' Corner." He was aiding his father to mend a stone wall by the roadside as the postman passed on horseback and tossed the paper to the young man. "His heart stood still a moment when he saw his own verses," says a biographer. "Such delight as his comes only once in the lifetime of any aspirant to literary fame. His father at last called to him to put up the paper and keep at work."

The editor of The Free Press was only three years older than the poet, although far more mature. He did more for the young man than merely print these boyish verses, for he went to Whittier's father and urged the need of giving the youth a little better education. To do this was not possible then, but two years later, when Whittier was 19, an academy started at Haverhill, and here he attended, even writing a few stanzas to be sung at the opening exercises. He studied at Haverhill for two terms, and by making slippers, by keeping books and by teaching school he earned the little money needed to pay his way. At Haverhill he was able to read the works of many authors hitherto unknown to him, and he also wrote for the local papers much prose and verse.—Professor Brander Matthews in St. Nicholas.

FURNISH NEWSPAPER CLIPPINGS.

The Business Has Grown to Great Proportions In New York.

There is a peculiar industry in Gotham which has grown to astonishing proportions. This is the business of furnishing newspaper clippings to individuals, firms and corporations. There are half a dozen of these concerns in New York, which supply customers not only in the United States, but in all parts of the world. One of these newspaper clipping bureaus received an order from the Hawaiian government to send President Dole all the notices, editorials, cartoons and other published matter regarding Hawaii, its government and its affairs.

Every prominent author, actor, politician and professional man is now a subscriber to one or more of the clipping bureaus, and a busy man finds the system very convenient, for he is enabled, as it were, to read his newspapers by proxy.

The manager of a New York clipping bureau in speaking of the peculiarities of his business said yesterday: "Many of our customers are folks with fads and hobbies. A man sent us an order recently for all items about two headed calves, three legged chickens and other monstrosities. A leading politician ordered 100 Memorial day addresses, from which he could compile a Fourth of July oration which he had engaged to deliver. Society belles are beginning to make scrapbooks of their newspaper notices, and the custom will doubtless become a regular social fad in time. The wives of public men are among the best patrons of the clipping bureaus. About the strangest order we have is that of a dealer in tombstones and monuments. He takes all the death notices."—New York Commercial Advertiser.

In the vicinity of Boquet, Westmoreland Co., Pa., almost any one can tell you how to cure a lame back or stiff neck. They dampen a piece of flannel with Chamberlain's Pain Balm and bind it on the affected parts and in one or two days the trouble has disappeared. This same treatment will promptly cure a pain in the side or chest. Mr. E. M. Frye, a prominent merchant of Boquet, speaks very highly of Pain Balm, and his recommendations have had much to do with making it popular there. For sale by Melville Bros., next to P. O.; C. W. Heister, 58 Public Square.

When Tears Are Dangerous.

M. S. Gregory, sheriff of Amador, was telling some friends the other evening about a plucky deputy and wound up by saying: "When you find a man as cool and steady as a rock in the face of danger, you can bet on him. But the most dangerous men are those who laugh or cry when they have a dispute on hand. I knew a man named Drew, down in Texas, who was noted as a very bad man. When he was doing any shooting, he would laugh loudly—a hard, demoniacal laugh, without any merriment in it. Up at Indian Diggings, many years ago, two men named Archer and Pawson had a dispute with a German about a claim. When they claimed the property, he broke down and cried, and they, supposing they would have no trouble in taking possession, marched on the ground. The German took up a broken pick and laid them both out. Archer was badly hurt and was a long time getting over his injuries. After that whenever he saw a man start to cry he got out of the way."—San Francisco Call.

Bucklen's Arnica Salve.

The best salve in the world for Cuts, Bruises, Sores, Ulcers, Salt Rheum, Fever Sores, Tetter, Chapped Hands, Chilblains, Corns and all Skin Eruptions, and positively cures Piles, or no money required. It is guaranteed to give perfect satisfaction, or money refunded. Price 25 cents per box. For sale by Melville Bros

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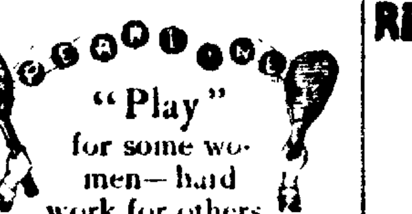
Wonderful! Marvelous!

Are expressions frequently heard about cures effected by Clinic Kidney Cure. Do not fail to try this great remedy for any kidney trouble. H. F. Vortkamp, N. E. Cor. Main and North sts.



"Play" for some women—hard work for others. Perhaps, for most women, more or less of both. Fix it to suit yourself. More play and less work—that's when you wash and clean with *Pearline.* More work and less play—that's when you wash with soap in the old back-breaking way.

Better work, too, with *Pearline.* Little or none of the rubbing that wears things out. It's something to think about whether you do your own work, or have it done.

Easier, quicker, better, cheaper—and absolutely safe. Facts about *Pearline* known by millions of women. 46

Beware of imitations. JAMES PYLE, N. Y.

OFFICIAL CALL

And Apportionment for the Democratic State Convention.

ROOMS OF DEMOCRATIC CENTRAL COMMITTEE, 75½ SOUTH HIGH STREET, COLUMBUS, OHIO, July 2, 1895.

At a meeting of the Democratic State Central Committee held at Columbus, Ohio, on the 25th day of June to fix the date and place of the State Convention, it was ordered:

That the date of said Convention be fixed for Tuesday and Wednesday, August 20th and 21st, 1895

That the place of meeting be Springfield, Ohio.

The District Caucuses will be held on the afternoon of August 20th, at such an hour and at such places as may be fixed by the Committee of Arrangements.

The Convention will meet for temporary organization and to receive the reports of the district meetings at 10 a. m., August 21st.

A resolution was adopted by the Committee directing that in any county where either the Democratic County Central or Executive Committee cannot agree upon any question affecting the interest of the party the member of the Central Committee for the district in which such county is situated be authorized and empowered to cast the deciding vote in such committee.

The ratio of apportionment and representation in said convention was fixed at one delegate for every 500 votes, or any fraction of 250 or more votes, cast for President at the November election in the year 1892. Under such apportionment each county will be entitled to the following number of delegates:

County	Delegates	County	Delegates
Adams	6	Licking	12
Allen	10	Logan	5
Ashland	6	Lorain	7
Ashtabula	6	Lucas	20
Athens	5	Madison	5
Auglaize	8	Mahoning	13
Belmont	12	Marion	7
Brown	8	Medina	4
Butler	16	Meigs	5
Carroll	3	Mercer	7
Champaign	6	Miami	9
Clarke	11	Monroe	8
Clermont	8	Montgomery	28
Clinton	4	Morgan	4
Columbiana	11	Morrow	4
Coshocton	7	Muskingum	12
Crawford	10	Noble	4
Cuyahoga	59	Ottawa	6
Darke	10	Paulding	6
Defiance	7	Perry	7
Delaware	5	Pickaway	8
Erie	8	Pike	4
Fairfield	9	Portage	4
Fayette	4	Preble	5
Franklin	31	Putnam	8
Fulton	4	Richland	11
Gall'a	4	Ross	9
Geauga	2	Sandusky	8
Green	5	Scioto	6
Guernsey	7	Seneca	11
Hamilton	77	Shelby	7
Hancock	10	Stark	20
Hardin	7	Summit	13
Harrison	4	Trumbull	6
Henry	7	Tuscarawas	11
Highland	6	Union	4
Hocking	5	Van Wert	7
Holmes	6	Vinton	4
Huron	7	Warren	5
Jackson	5	Washington	9
Jefferson	7	Wayne	9
Knox	7	Williams	5
Lake	2	Wood	9
Lawrence	6	Wyandot	6
Total			808

M. A. SMALLEY, Chairman.
WALTER A. THIEME, Secretary.

Easily Arranged.

"I'd like to go to the races," said Willie Wishington, "but I don't know anything about them. I'm afraid I'd seem unsophisticated."

"That needn't bother you."

"Is there any particular style of costume that's appropriate?"

"Yes; you just wear a worried look and trousers that have fringe at the bottom, and everybody will think that you are an old frequenter of the place."—Washington Star.

From a Findlay Mother.

"Having used Dr. Hand's Colic Cure for my baby, I can fully recommend it. I have used a great many medicines for baby colic, and none have done so much good. I will hereafter use no other remedy for colicky babies.—Mrs. L. Tanner, Findlay, Ohio." Dr. Hand's Colic Cure, Dr. Hand's Teething Lotion and all of Dr. Hand's Remedies for Children sold by all druggists for 25c

Drinking Fountains In London.

The first drinking fountain was erected on Snow hill 37 years ago, and today the association which caters for man and beast in this respect has erected and maintains 700 fountains for human beings and over that number of drinking troughs for cattle in the streets and open spaces of London.—London Globe.

When Baby was sick, we gave her Castoria.
When she was a Child, she cried for Castoria.
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Alleged Humor.

Over the grave of the cannibal king they inscribed with trenchant pen this epitaph: "Write me down as one who loved his fellow men."—*Life.*

Mother—"Frank, what is baby crying about?"

Frank—"I guess because I took his cake and showed him how to eat it."—*Harper's Round Table*

A.—"I fail to see how you can laugh at such a silly remark."

B.—"My dear fellow, I can't help it. I owe the man a hundred marks."—*Tagliche Rundschau.*

It remains to be proved that bright, dazzling silver mountings on soda water fountains cause so many men to wink their eyes there.—*Philadelphia Times.*

Bell Boy—"That man in No. 44 is a congressman."

Clerk—"How do you know?"

Bell Boy—"He ordered a glass of seltzer and a siphon of whisky."—*St. Louis Post-Dispatch*

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A select party will leave Toledo for a tour of the Yellowstone Park, returning by Duluth and steamer. The round trip fare from Toledo is $170, which includes every expense. Rates will be given on application from any station on the C., H. & D. R. R.

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LEGAL NOTICE.

Benjamin F. Henders, residing near the city of Bismark, in the State of North Dakota, will take notice that on the 27th day of April, 1895, Elizabeth J. Turner, as guardian of Catharine Patterson, an imbecile, filed her petition in the Court of Common Pleas, Allen county, Ohio, in case No. 8417 against him, praying that the assessment made by the county commissioners against the east half of the west half of the northeast quarter of section twenty-four (24), in township four (4) south, range eight (8) east for locating, establishing and constructing a ditch, may be apportioned between the owner of the life estate and the owner of the fee, in said premises.

Said defendant is required to answer on or before the 29th day of June, A. D. 1895, or judgment may be taken against him

PROPHET & EASTMAN, Attorneys for Plaintiff.

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LEGAL NOTICE.

Mary Myers, widow of Levi Myers, and Mary Myers, Sarah Myers and Emmet Myers, children of Levi Myers, deceased, whose residence is unknown, will take notice that on the 4th day of June, 1895, Lena Myers filed her petition in the Court of Common Pleas, of Allen county, Ohio, in case No. 8462 against the above named parties and others, praying for the partition of the following described premises, situate in the county of Allen, and State of Ohio, to-wit:

Inlot number eight hundred and seventy-three (873) in Haller and Baxter's addition to Lima

Said parties are required to answer on or before the 3rd day of August, 1895, or judgment may be taken against them.

LENA MYERS.
By Leland & Roby, her attorneys. 6-14 6wks

NOTICE OF PETITION.

Notice is hereby given that a petition has been presented to the City Council of Lima, Ohio, praying for the vacation of an alley extending north from Wayne street, and lying between inlots numbers 1077 and 1078 in Baxter and Haller's addition.

Same to be for final action by Council on or after July 15th, A. D. 1895.

Given at Lima, Ohio, June 5th, 1895

C. E. LYNCH, City Clerk.

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Martyrs In Theater Boxes.

Speaking of the [illegible] people in them, there is [illegible] all the capital [illegible] than the heroism of [illegible] box party. Now a box in a [illegible] theater will hold four persons [illegible] any and [illegible] what's going on on the stage [illegible]

So far as seeing the play goes a box seat is the worst in the house. Then the average box party is made up of six or eight full grown men and women, and the women get the front seats [illegible] and the men [illegible] of the leading [illegible] and when the chaperon says: "Oh, Mr. Brown, I'm so afraid you're not seeing," they smile and say: "Oh, yes, I am. I can see perfectly."

It's sublime, I say. It's awe inspiring. They actually manage to look as if they were enjoying themselves. It's wonderful what an amount of broken heart and suppressed profanity a starched shirt front can cover anyway.—Washington Post.

That Finished Him.

He—Why was Solomon the wisest man?

She—Because he had so many wives to advise him.—London Tit Bits.

The East river, North river and South river, at New York, were named by the Dutch.

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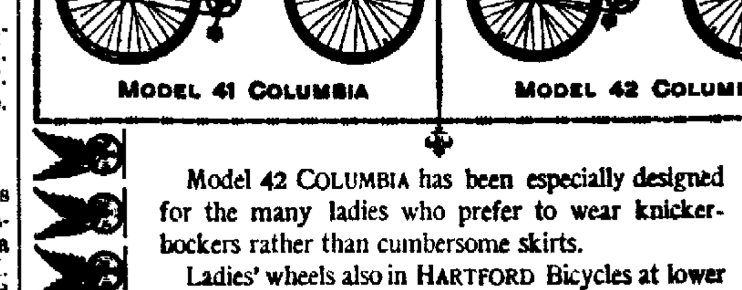

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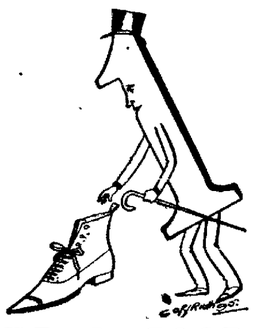

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TALES OF THE TOWN.

T. S. Gilliland, the well known Van Wert grain dealer, has assigned.

Otto Seligman has resigned as clerk at the Lima House and gone to Cleveland.

Rev. Howell Davies will fill the Congregational pulpit to-morrow at at 10 a. m. and 7:30 p. m.

The funeral services of Morrison Rumbaugh were held from the Zion church 9:30 o'clock this morning.

Elder J. W. Lower, of Lima, will preach at the U. B. church in Marbletown, next Sunday evening.—*Delphos Herald*

Rev. Henry Fox, of Canton, will preach at St. Paul A. M. E. church to-morrow. He is an able and eloquent speaker.

The case against Joseph Yoakum, charged with violating a game law, was set for a hearing in 'Squire Atmur's court at 3 o'clock this afternoon.

Harry Johnson is distributing handsome photographs of his swim, taken when the place was filled with ladies and gentlemen and boys, about the city.

Sheriff Fisher is removing from the jail building into the basement of the court house, where they will make their home during the remodeling of the building.

South bound passenger train No. 7, due on the C., H. & D. from the north at 2:30 o'clock, was an hour and a half late last night, on account of the regular engine being disabled

Warrants are out for the arrest of engineers Hutchinson and Latham, of the C., H. & D., for running faster than eight miles an hour through Cairo. Hutchinson will plead not guilty and fight the case.

While running a fried beef cutter at Sullivan's grocery, yesterday, Henry Davis had the end of the thumb on his left hand cut off and the first first two fingers badly cut. Dr. Bates dressed the wounds.

The funeral services of Thomas Williams, an account of whose being killed by being hit on the temple with a ball, appeared in the TIMES-DEMOCRAT, yesterday, will be held at Gomer to-morrow morning.

Will Foltz, who has been painting for contractor Durnbaugh for the past few months, was overcome with heat while working on the roof of J. C. Thompson's residence, yesterday afternoon, and has since been unable to return to work.

The case in mayor's court against C. J. Bainer, whom yardmaster Hurst, of the L. E. & W, had arrested upon a charge of an attempt to provoke a breack of the peace, was tried this morning and Bainer was found guilty and fined $16 60.

The Cantata of "Snow White," given by the Young People of St. Paul A. M. E. church, last evening, was a grand success. Every body was well pleased with the entertainment, and a handsome sum realized. The ladies return thanks to the kind friends for their liberal patronage.

OIL AND GAS.

The Faurot well showed up well after being shot yesterday. The owners are Messrs J. S. Karnes, B. C. Faurot and T. W. Dobbins.

No change in the markets to day.

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$10 00 and more made daily on small investments by our new plan of Systematic Grain and Stock Speculation. Fullest investigation solicited. Past workings of the plan and highest references furnished. Send for our free booklet telling how to make money, even on the wrong side of the market. also our daily market letter, what and where to buy. Active representatives wanted.

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Mr. Scheibenruber,

of the Central drug store, is moving his stock to Dayton, and all prescriptions and recipes which had been in his possession can now be found at H F Vorhkamp's drug store, northeast corner Main and North streets.
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BADLY INJURED

An Employe of the Paper Mills Fell Thirty Feet.

This afternoon about 2 o'clock a son of Ed C. Buchanan, a painter living at 833 north Main street and employed at the paper mills, caught hold of an elevator carriage as it was ascending to see how far he could ride, and held on until it was about 30 feet up when he was knocked off and his right leg very badly fractured, together with serious internal injures

He was removed to his home in Grotjean's ambulance and Dr. Bates summoned.

ALL RUN IN.

A Quartette Arrested by the Police Last Night.

Last night John and James Van Sky, the latter's wife, and a woman named Phoebe Long, were arrested by policemen Baker and Lehman, at Adam Zimmerman's saloon on east Market street, and charges of drunk and disorderly made against them. The men were locked up and the women released upon $15 bail, which was furnished by John Van Sky. This morning the latter was released and James was fined $8.60.

Phoebe Long had been before Mayor Smiley before and evidently feared to take chances on getting a workhouse sentence this morning and concluded to forfeit the bail and get out of town. She boarded a westbound train on the P., Ft. W. & C., but was discovered by special policeman Titus, who recaptured her just as the train was leaving the depct. She was taken to the police station and the money Van Sky had left for bail was returned to him. The woman was not locked up and soon disappeared again. The police are not anxious to recapture her, for it will be cheaper for the county to allow her to leave the city, than to send her to the works.

Mrs. Van Sky was also released and she and the two men returned to their homes in the country.

ABOUT PEOPLE.

Who They Are, Where They Have Been and Are Going.

C. W. Risley was in Mansfield yesterday.

Simon Grischott, of Toledo, was in the city last evening.

A. C. Woomer left over the C., H. & D. for San Francisco, Cal.

Mrs. W. D. Gallagher and son are visiting her parents in Sidney.

Irene Conrad has gone on a several days' visit among friends in Bluffton.

Mrs. Frank Johnston, of Alliance, is visiting her husband on Second street.

Miss Maggie Clark, of Cleveland, is the guest of her aunt Mrs. W. F. O'Brien.

Misses Mag Nicholas and Blanche Neff will spend Sunday with friends in Middletown.

Miss Rosa Trau left this afternoon for Wapakoneta to spend Sunday with her parents.

J. S. Bishop, of Philadelphia, is visiting her sister, Mrs. Chas. Harrison, of west High street.

Miss Flo Hebble, of Osborne, O., is the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Harry G. Myers, of the Paine block.

Mrs. A. T. Crow and daughter, Edna, left this morning for a visit with Mrs. Hull at Chicago.

Mrs. Milt English, of Alliance, is the guest of her son, Charles English, and family, of Second street.

Miss Lillian Baird, of 447 south Tanner street, leaves to-morrow for Toledo to spend the summer.

General Superintendent J. H. Barrett and Auditor McNair, of the Ohio Southern, are in the city.

Mrs. T. F. O'Brien, of Springfield, is visiting her husband, of the Ohio Southern auditing department.

J. A. McCune, of Sidney, is visiting his son, Harry McCune, and family, of 417 east Market street.

Mrs. George Fisher and daughter Lena are home from a visit with friends in Crestline and Loudenville.

S. A. Kemper and family, formerly of this city, but now of Frankfort, are in the city visiting friends and relatives.

Miss Stella Craig, bookkeeper for F. E. Harman, has gone to Detroit and the Northern Lakes to spend her vacation.

Mr. and Mrs. Solomon Anspach, of Ada, were the guests to-day of their son, Geo. B. Anspach, and wife, of Hughes avenue.

Mrs. Frank Clark and daughter Helen, of Frankfort, Ind., are the guests of her sister, Mrs. S. R. Craig, of east North street.

Miss Mayme McGrath, who has been the guest of Miss Killoran, of north Main street, will leave for her home in Toledo to-morrow morning.

Mrs. M. L. Geidel and granddaughter, Menetta Gaidel, of Coshocton, O., have returned home from a pleasant visit with Mr. Phillip Keil and family.

Architect Hitchcock, of Toledo, who will superintend the erection of a handsome new residence for E. B Mitchell, on west Market street, was in the city yesterday.

Mrs. C. A. Evans, Miss Edith Kepner and guest, Miss Iona Ruch, of Columbia City, Ind., were entertained to-day by Mrs. D. H. Sullivan, in Lima.—*Delphos Herald.*

COURT HOUSE NEWS.

NEW CASES.

Jacob Jettinghoff vs. James L. Cox and Mary W. Cox. Judgment

Mary J. Davis vs. J. F. McShane, C. A. McShane, Jos. Boehmer and H Weible. Judgment.

Quincy National Bank vs. J. F. McShane and H. Weible. Judgment

Mary J Davis vs. Jos. Boehmer, J. F. McShane and H. Weible. Judgment.

Relief, W. V. R. U.

There will be a meeting of the members of the W. V. R. U. Wednesday, July 24, at 1:30 o'clock. All committees are requested to be present.

By order committee.

LORINDA SMITH, Chairman.

BENJAMIN POLING,

A Prominent Pioneer, Dies at the Age of Over Eighty Years.

Benjamin Poling, one of the most prominent pioneers of this county, died at his home nine miles west of this city at 11:30 o'clock last night, from dysentary.

The deceased was eighty years and nearly six months of age He was born in Fairfield county, Ohio, and came to this county on February 16, 1845, settling on the farm where his death occurred last night. He leaves a wife and two daughters, Rachael and Mary Poling, and two sons, Samuel A. and ex-county auditor W. D. Poling.

The funeral will leave the house at 9:30 o'clock Monday morning, and the services will be held from the M. E. church at Allentown.

PNEUMATICS.

Captain Stewart, of the Cycling club, would like to see a good representation of the club on the century run to-morrow. The start will be made from the public square at 6 o'clock in the morning, the weather being favorable.

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Clyde Roberts, the well known Columbus Grove racing man, rode an exhibition mile at Ada, last Wednesday, in 2:17, paced.

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For the novelty event at the cycle track, next Wedesday evening, a collection of old hard and cushion tire wheels will be taken on the track and numbered. As many riders as there are bicycles will draw numbers and will ride in a half mile race whatever wheel the number of which he draws. No one will be allowed to adjust handle bars or seats, but each man must ride the wheel as he gets it. The event will be very amusing.

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The "pneu" woman is very slow about materializing in Lima.

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A north West street bicyclist creates considerable amusement in that part of the city, with an old street car gong, which is attached to his handle-bars.

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As long as the rider of a bicycle is taught to depend upon the brake as a safety appliance to that machine, just so long will he be lacking in that air of confidence and superiority of mind over matter which characterizes the graceful cyclist. Nothing is so conducive to accident as hesitancy and lack of control while awheel, and the surest way to rid one's self of these undesirable attributes is to learn to control the bicycle solely by the power of limb. Brakes are an additional weight, wear the sensitive surface of the tire when applied, making it more susceptible to puncture, and being agents of destruction when thus considered, are items of additional expense to the user.

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Following is the programme for the Lima Cycling Club races next Wednesday evening:

Event 1—Five mile handicap.

Event 2—One mile championship of L. E & W. shops between James Sanders and Ed Reel.

Event 3—Half mile open.

Event 4.—One mile race between F P O'Dell and H M Ashton

Event 5—Novelty race.

Event 6—Quarter mile dash.

Event 7—Exhibition quarter mile by W. C. Bell.

All entries must be in by Monday night.

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"Buck" Sanders is a very promising rider. In his one-mile ride with Harry Rumple last Wednesday evening he showed that he possesses not only good wind and muscle, but a good head.

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Cycling had never so bright an outlook as now. The Cycle Board of Trade has affiliated with the League of American Wheelmen, giving the latter organization a prestige which it otherwise would not have. Previous to the opening of the national circuit at Asbury Park it was rumored that the cycle board would give the league its death blow by holding professional and amateur races under its auspices. When the board convened it indorsed the system of Chairman Gideon and his associates and left the entire control of the track in their hands Consequently, with the harmony existing between the manufacturers who have wheelmen riding under their colors and the organization which controls racing events, the prospects of the sport being kept clean were never so promising.

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The excellent riding of George Woods at the races last Wednesday evening created considerable comment. George is developing a better sprint every day, and there are few riders in Lima who can compete with him.

*

Many who witnessed the half-mile open event at the cycling track last Wednesday evening were surprised at Jess Morrison finishing last, and quite a number thought he did not try to win. Crimmel can enlighten anyone desiring to know the reason.

Hover's Park.

On Tuesday evening there will be a concert and tub race. Everybody do your washing Monday and bring your tubs Tuesday evening and enjoy this fun. Admission, 10 cents.

"RASSED" THE MAYOR

And Got a Ten Dollar Fine and Thirty Days at the Works.

A stranger, giving his name as John Madden, was arrested at the circus ground, on south Main street, last night, for being drunk and using profane language in the presence of a crowd of little girls.

When arraigned before the mayor this morning he pleaded guilty to the charge of drunkenness, and when the mayor reminded him of his conduct in the presence of the little girl, he became impudent and insinuated that the mayor was a prevaricator.

The mayor ordered him locked up and sentenced him to a fine of $10 and costs and thirty days in the Dayton work house.

THREE ACCIDENTS

Occur on the South Side in Less than that Number of Hours.

A reckless driver, who is supposed to have been drunk, ran his horse against Grover, the young son of G. W. Morris, the shoemaker, at Vine and Main streets, yesterday afternoon. The animal knocked the boy down, but fortunately he fell in such a position that he escaped being injured by either the horse's hoofs or the wheels of the vehicle.

An hour later a horse driven by Patrick Sheridan became frightened at a street car and started to runaway. Mr. Sheridan was thrown out near the C. & E. and sustained several cuts and bruises about his face and hands, but was not seriously injured.

A horse hitched to A. B. Nungester's delivery wagon, also became frightened about the same time and ran north on Main street to Kibby and then east to the south side house, house, where it was stopped before any damage was done.

Y. M. C. A. NOTES.

Items from the Young Men's Rooms.

Study of the Sunday School lesson to-night at 7:30 o'clock Ladies and gentlemen teachers and scholars welcome.

The new members continue to come in in large numbers and the office force is kept very busy issuing tickets and attending to their wants. Enough new men have been secured to insure the $5 fee. Each one who has signed the agreement should call and get his ticket.

Reception committee holds a meeting next Tuesday evening to arrange for a regular evening reception committee and other work in their line.

Men's meeting to-morrow at 3:30 o'clock. The second of a series of short summer services. This will be a "Promise Meeting," and all men are invited.

WELL! WELL! WELL!

The Sons of Rest Again Defeat the Never Sweats.

The S O. R. have another scalp to hang on the archives of its sanctorum. 'Tis a scalp from which no prespiration flowed, and belonged to the "Never Sweats." With the scalp goes the explosion of several college phenoms, who are phenoms no more. The 300 visitors who attended yesterday's game were treated to a close contest. The game wasn't won until the last man registered his fate on "Poppy" Hoffman's score book, which, by the way, was never kept right, it being impossible for a scorer to coach, umpire, chew the rag and score—all at the same time.

"Fatty" Moon had one of the strongest aggregations on hand that the S. O. R. have played with this season The only trouble was that he relied too much on his college phenoms. The S. O R is now the strongest amateur team in the northwestern part of the State and will be heard from before the season closes. They are generals in the field and improve with age. Following is the score by innings:

S. O. R. ... 3 1 1 1 0 0 9 3 0—18
Never Sweats 1 1 1 0 0 8 2 0 0—13

Time — two hours. Batteries—Armstrong, Sealts and Sealts for the S. O. R; Underwood and Moon, Davis, Cook, Gallagher and Carnes for the Never Sweats. Hits—S O. R. 25, Never Sweats 15. Three-base hits—Blackman, Hickie and Gale Two-base hits—Hughes. Blackman and Armstrong. One base hit—Moon. Errors—S. O. R. 7, Never Sweats 8. Stolen bases- S. O. R. 14

NOTES.

The S. O. R. made quite a good find in pitcher Armstrong. He has a nice easy delivery and phenomenal speed.

Features of the game were Blackman's home run, errors by the S. O. R. manager and general good playing of the S. O. R. team.

Capt. Tanner and Enoch Summers will play on the Gallipolis team, and will leave on Monday for that place.

Invest Your Change.

A silver quarter is about as much as some people care to invest in medicine for immediate use. Spend this sum for a package of Simmons Liver Regulator, powder. It's the woman's friend—cures Sick Headache in the right way, and quickly, too; just as good for Biliousness.

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J. F. OLIVE, Pastor.

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Sunday School at 9 a m, preaching at 10 a m. Christian Endeavor at 6:30 p m. C. BAUM, Pastor.

FIRST PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH,

corner west Market and West streets. Preaching by the pastor, Rev. Robert J. Thomson—subject at 10 a m, "Outgoing and Homekeeping"; at 7:30 p m, "Salt." Sunday School at 11:30 a m, Y. P. S. C. E at 6:30 p m. All worshippers made cordially welcome: services free to all.

MAIN STREET PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH.

Sabbath School at 9 a m. Preaching by the pastor at 10:15 a m and 7:30 p m. Third Street Mission School at 2 p m, Junior Christian Endeavor at 2.30 p m. Senior Endeavor at 6:45 p m. Prayer service at 7:30 Thursday evening. All are made welcome to all these services.

W. G. SMITH, Pastor.

GENERAL SYNOD LUTHERAN CHURCH,

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I. J. MILLER, Pastor.

ST PAUL'S EVANGELICAL LUTHERAN CHURCH,

Tanner street, Rev. J H. Hunton, pastor. On the Lord's day, July 21st, services as follows: Sunday school will assemble at 9 a m. worship and sermon at 10:15 a m, Young People's Society at 6:30 p m, worship and sermon at 7:30 p m Seats free and all are cordially invited to these services.

CALVARY REFORMED CHURCH,

corner Cemetery and High streets Divine services Sunday at 10 a m; subject, "The Father's Love." Sunday School 3 p m. Endeavor Society 6:30 p m and preaching again at 7:30 p m, at which time the consideration of Christ's miracles will be continued. Sunday School picnic next Wednesday at Hover's lake. All are welcome

DANIEL BURGHALTER, Pastor.

ZION'S LUTHERAN CHURCH,

Union street. Regular services, conducted by the pastor, at 10:15 a. m. and 7:30 p m. Sunday school at 9 a. m. You are cordially invited.

CARL ACKERMAN, Pastor.

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